

WEATHER FORECAST  
Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate variable winds; mostly fair, and cooler.  
Vancouver and Vicinity—Light westerly winds; mostly fair, and slightly colder; frost at night; morning mist.

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## SWEEPSTAKES GIVEN APPROVAL OF HOUSE BEFORE PROROGATION

Legislature Goes on Record Formally Endorsing Governmental Drawings for Hospital Purposes—Seven Weeks' Session Ends With Traditional Battle of Sessional Papers

By SANDHAM GRAVES  
LEUTENANT-GOVERNOR Eric W. Hamber prorogued the second session of the Nineteenth Legislature of the Province at 9 p.m. yesterday, after seven weeks of sittings mostly in double time. His Honor gave assent in the name of His Majesty to some seventy-five acts of the session, and thanked the House for granting supply to the Crown in the sum of \$29,766,592.  
Released from their labors, forty-eight members joined in the customary battle of sessional papers, followed by spirited farewells in the corridors.  
As its last outstanding action, the Legislature went formally on record as being in favor of Dominion and Provincial governmental sweepstakes in Canada, where one-quarter of the proceeds are set aside for hospital purposes. Moved by Thomas Upstill (Labor-Farm), and seconded by E. C. Henniger (Liberal-Grand Forks), the sweepstakes resolution read:  
"Whereas there is more over-hospitalization in British Columbia than anywhere else in the Dominion; and whereas hospitals throughout the country are in urgent need of funds for various articles of equipment; therefore be it resolved that this Legislative Assembly go on record as being in favor of sweepstakes, conducted by either the Dominion or any Provincial Government."  
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## FIVE OVERCOME BY GAS FUMES

Sixth Fireman Injured When Blaze Breaks Out in Vancouver Plant

VANCOUVER, Dec. 9 (AP).—Five firemen were taken to hospital here tonight when overcome by ammonia gas fumes, released when fire broke out in the Vancouver Ice & Cold Storage Company plant here. A sixth fireman was taken to hospital earlier with a cut, foot suffered in fighting the outbreak, which started shortly after noon.  
The gassed men were Assistant Fire Chief J. H. DeGraves, Fireman Herbert Asserling, Fireman Robert Raymond, Fireman Ernest Ramsell and Fireman Wesley Eason. None was in a serious condition.  
Arthur McKeeble drove the pointed end of an axe into his foot while clearing away debris after the blaze was brought under control an hour after it started.  
MENACING FUMES  
Although the blaze, which caused damages estimated at \$3,500, was reported under control, the menace of the ammonia fumes made fire-fighting in the frame building precarious.  
Plant Foreman A. Robinson said the outbreak apparently started in or near the engine room of the downtown plant. It spread up an elevator shaft to the roof.  
Vegetables, cheese and wild game stored in the building suffered little damage. Insulated doors protecting the storage rooms.

## Refuses to Admit Jewish Refugees

TURIN, Italy, Dec. 9 (AP).—San Marino, the world's smallest republic, declined to admit Jewish refugees.  
The newspaper La Stampa reported yesterday authorities of San Marino, a country of thirty-eight square miles, surrounded entirely by Italy, turned away 100 Jewish families who sought to establish homes there. The newspaper said San Marino, which has a population of 13,948, has not had a Jewish resident in 200 years.

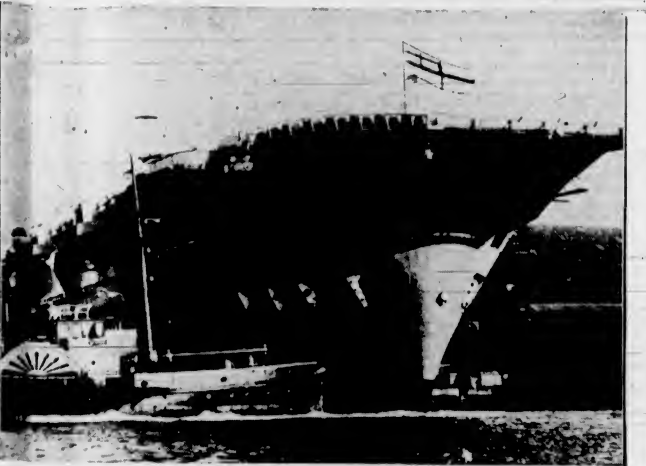
## PEROW LEAVES FOR HOME

LONDON, Dec. 9 (AP).—Oswald Pirow, South African Defence Minister, left for home today after a six weeks' trip, in which he visited Lisbon, Berlin, Brussels, The Hague, Rome and London.

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## New Aircraft Carrier at Portsmouth



Great Britain's New Aircraft Carrier, the Ark Royal, Arrives at Portsmouth, Base of the British Home Fleet, Where She Is to Be Commissioned. The Ship Cost About \$15,000,000, and During the Three Years She Was Under Construction Gave Employment to 2,000 Men.

## ITALY WANTS NEW ACCORD

Would Negotiate on Question of Rights in North Africa With France

ROME, Dec. 9 (AP).—The authoritative Italian editor, Virginio Gayda, indicated today that Italy wants new negotiations with France to settle the question of Italian rights in North Africa.  
Gayda denounced France and called for new concessions to Italians in French-controlled Tunisia, while anti-French feeling mounted in various parts of Italy to accompany the renewal of mass demonstrations and an excited press campaign.  
In what direction the steam ultimately will blow off remained a mystery. Anti-French demonstrations continued, chiefly in Rome, Naples and Milan.  
SAYS AGREEMENT BROKEN  
Writing in Il Giornale D'Italia, Gayda declared France had failed to carry out the agreement signed in 1935 by Premier Pierre Laval and Benito Mussolini, and indicated Italy is receptive to new negotiations.  
But in this connection he warned a vast change has occurred in the political situation since 1935 and made it plain Italy is looking for more comprehensive concessions in Africa in any new agreement.  
Gayda blamed the French for not having negotiated a special Tunisian accord as contemplated under the 1935 agreement.  
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## J. H. SCHOFIELD DIES AT TRAIL

Was Conservative Member Of Legislature for More Than Quarter Century

TRAIL, Dec. 9 (AP).—James H. Schofield, Conservative member of the British Columbia Legislature for Rossland-Trail riding for twenty-six years, died at his home here today after a long illness. Mr. Schofield was born at Brockville, Ont., early in 1866.  
He was elected Mayor of Trail in 1902, and served in that capacity for five years. He was elected to the Legislature as a Conservative for Old Trail riding in the general election of 1907, and was re-elected in 1909, 1912, 1916 and 1920.  
SERVED UNTIL 1933  
At the general election in 1924, he was elected for the new constituency of Rossland-Trail, and served until the 1933 general election.  
In 1907 he was grand master of Masons in British Columbia.  
Mr. Schofield retired from active business in 1933 after operating his real estate and insurance business for many years.  
He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Letitia, and two sons, James P. and John L., all in Trail.

## Accountant Wounded by Bandit Trio

PORT CREDIT, Ont., Dec. 9 (AP).—Three armed men robbed the Port Credit branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce today, and one of them shot a bank accountant, R. A. Bryan, before escaping. Port Credit is ten miles west of Toronto. Bank officials estimated \$2,500 was stolen.  
One of the robbers fired at Bryan when the accountant made a move, that the robbers believed was towards a gun. Bryan was wounded in the arm and his condition was not serious.

## B.C. Legislature Is Given Final Report Of Fuel Commission

Report Repeats Gasoline Can Be Sold for 18 Cents A Gallon If Distribution Unified—Recommends Public Control of Utility, and New Duties

WITH the explanation that the voluminous document had been received on Tuesday, but had not yet been read by himself, Premier Pattullo presented the third and final report of the Macdonald fuel commission yesterday morning in the British Columbia Legislature. Contained in a volume eight inches thick, the report was filed with the Clerk of the House.  
"Regulation of the fuel supply is highly desirable in the public interest," the report read in part.  
"A reduction in the selling price of gasoline is the first step to save the Vancouver Island coal industry from extinction," and recommended regulation by a public body in the public interest. The report read in part.  
HIGHLIGHTS CITED  
"At present a private body or company controlling the price of gasoline, and consequently the price of heavy fuel oil, can virtually destroy the British Columbia coal industry."

## PROPOSE FEDERAL BUILDING IN VICTORIA TO COMBINE CUSTOMS AND POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENTS

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., Announces New Plan for Housing Major Offices of Administration in the Capital City—Location to Be on Government Street—Use Present Building

ANNOUNCEMENT that a new plan was being studied which, if approved by the Dominion Government, would give Victoria a combined postoffice and customs building, was made yesterday by R. W. Mayhew, M.P. The new structure would house the postoffice and customs and excise departments. The present postoffice building would be retained and altered to accommodate other agencies of the Federal Government located in the Capital City.  
Mr. Mayhew said he had been in consultation with C. F. Dawson, district resident architect of the Canadian Government; G. A. Yardley, collector of customs and excise, and George H. Gardiner, Victoria postmaster, and tentative plans had been agreed upon for a building to house the two major departments of the Dominion Government.

## Leader of Ontario Conservatives

COL. G. DREW HEADS PARTY  
Succeeds Hon. Earl Rowe as Leader of Conservatives in Ontario  
TORONTO, Dec. 9 (AP).—Colonel George A. Drew, never a member of a Legislature or of Parliament, carried off the Ontario Conservative leadership today, an easy winner on the first ballot of a convention that gave him a majority of more than 300 over three other candidates.  
The 1,270 delegates, led by the three other contenders for the leadership, made the election unanimous. There was wild cheering on announcement of the result. There was a special outburst of applause when Hon. Earl Rowe grasped Colonel Drew's hand.  
ELECTED TWO YEARS AGO  
Colonel Drew succeeds Mr. Rowe, who resigned the leadership several months ago after being elected leader at a similar convention in 1936.  
There was no official announcement of the ballot result. It was reported to be: Drew, 796; Hon. Earl Rowe, 42; Hon. W. M. Bennett, 42; and Rev. Norman Rawson, 13.  
Nearly an hour after the ballot started at 3:25 p.m., the result was announced. The organ burst into "Happy Days Are Here Again," and Chairman Cecil Ford declared the convention over.  
STRIKE IN PARTY ENDED  
Intra-party strife, referred to by Colonel Drew, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Mr. Rowe, and others, at various times during the convention—A strike marked in pre-convention hostility between Mr. Rowe and Colonel Drew apparently was ended today with Colonel Drew's election.  
Colonel Drew announced before the ballot that should he be successful he would seek an early entry to the Legislature. Fifty members had offered to resign in his favor and he would demand Premier Hepburn call an early by-election when the decision was made which seat he should contest and the member resigned.

## TO SEEK HIGHER WHEAT PRICES

Meeting May Suggest World Conference for Co-operative Action on Problem

LONDON, Dec. 9 (AP).—A world conference to consider plans for increasing wheat prices by co-operative action may follow a meeting here on January 10 of the International Wheat Advisory Committee.  
Canada is one of the twenty-one nations represented on the committee, which will meet to consider what recommendations it should make to individual governments to cope with the present wheat crisis.  
It has been stated it is almost a certainty that the committee will recommend a full dress world conference of leading importing and exporting nations the first since 1933. It would consider definite proposals to raise wheat prices by such methods as export quotas, fixed minimum prices, and acreage control, or a combination of them all.  
MALADJUSTMENT OF TRADE  
International action would be predicted on the theory that present low prices reflect a chronic maladjustment of world wheat trade which can be corrected only by artificial means. The four largest export nations, Canada, the United States, Australia and Argentina, are using different internal price adjustment schemes which will cost them \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000 this year—yet prices in the open market are far below the cost of production.  
Those pressing for a world-wide control scheme argue it would be cheaper in the long run to place the wheat industry on a stable footing by joint action than by costly, competing individual schemes which sometimes operate against each other by dumping surpluses on a weak market or by the accumulation of big carry-overs which depress the market.

## Man Crushed to Death by Dipper

NELSON, Dec. 9 (AP).—Raymond Hong, 22, was fatally injured at Bonnington, south of here today. He was crushed beneath the dipper of a big shovel while working on an addition to the West Kootenay Power & Light Company's Bonnington plant.  
Police said Hong signalled the shovel operator to lower the dipper, then apparently walked into its path.

## Britain Will Stand Firm for Democracy

Eden Tells America

Former British Foreign Secretary Speaks at New York—Says Britons Not Seeking to Have Others "Pull Our Chestnuts From Fire"

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP).—Anthony Eden declared tonight Great Britain would stand firm for democracy in a "ruthless and challenging" world that has "not been made safe for democracy."  
In the first speech of his United States visit, the former British Foreign Secretary spoke of "a world where there is for many the only instrument of policy," and of "the gathering storm," and added:  
"We know we are destined to live in our land on our generation to live in a period of emergency of which none can see the end. In such conditions we know we must believe in ourselves to live. For all this in spirit we are prepared."  
BRITISH PEOPLE AGREED  
Speaking to the largest banquet audience in New York history and to the United States-at-large by radio, Eden, who left the British Government because of disagreement with Prime Minister Chamberlain, said:  
"The British people are agreed that we must stand firm for democracy in a ruthless and challenging world that has 'not been made safe for democracy.'"

## DEATH LIST FROM TYPHOON GROWS

Total of Fifty-Six Known Dead Reported in Philippine Hurricane—Thousands Homeless

MANILA, Dec. 9 (AP).—Over crippled communications came reports today of fifty-six deaths, scores of thousands of homeless and uncounted injured in the path of the vicious typhoon which swept the Central Philippines and whirled away over the China Sea yesterday.  
Days must elapse before the full extent of the disaster can be known. The tropical hurricane tore down wires and wrecked roads in fifteen provinces as it passed in a zigzag course 100 to 250 miles south of Manila.  
Relief workers counted 12,000 homeless in one district of Samar Island alone.  
Deaths, mainly due to falling trees, drowning, smothering in winds of unmeasurable intensity, probably will mount with reports from areas still isolated.







**STARTS TODAY! (SATURDAY) FOR 3 DAYS ONLY**

**ADVENTURE ON THE HIGH SEAS!**  
... WITH THE STRANGEST CREW THAT EVER SAILED THE ATLANTIC!

A TINY SHIP OF THE LAUGHED-AT "SPLINTER FLEET" MANNED BY LANDLUBBER ODDS AND ENDS... WEAK-LINGS WHO TURN INTO MEN IN THIS RED-BLOODED DRAMA OF THRILLS!

DAILY AT 12:31, 2:27, 4:33, 7:09, 9:25

**SUBMARINE PATROL**

With **RICHARD GREENE** and **NANCY KELLY**

Preston Foster - George Bancroft  
Slim Summerville - John Carradine  
Joan Valerie - Henry Armetta  
J. Farrell MacDonald  
Maxie Rosenbloom

**CAPITOL**

20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1938

**Today and Monday**  
DAILY AT 1:26, 4:05, 6:36, 9:35

He'll Park in Your Heart...  
He'll Have You Crying All in One Lump!

**Bob Burns in**  
**The Arkansas Traveler**

With **FAY BAINTER • JOHN BEAL • JEAN PARKER**

THEY TOOK A HOLIDAY FROM ROMANCE SEVEN YEARS!  
**"VACATION FROM LOVE"**

AT 12:15, 2:35, 4:55, 7:15, 9:35  
DENNIS O'KEEFE • FLORENCE RICE  
REGINALD OWEN • JUNE KNIGHT

**DOMINION**

FREE PARKING! Standard Garage, 925 Yates Street

**ATLAS LAST TIMES TODAY**  
DAILY AT 12:30, 3:15, 6:05, 8:55

**Frank Capra's**  
**YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU**

JEAN ARTHUR • LIONEL BARRYMORE  
JAMES STEWART • EDWARD ARNOLD  
THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT!  
THEATRE TICKETS 10c to 25c  
New on Sale

**OAK BAY**  
MATINEE, SATURDAY, 2 P.M. 15c (Not continuous)  
FRANK FLYNN • OLIVIA DEHAVILLAND • ROSALIND RUSSELL  
PATRIC KNOWLES

**"FOUR'S A CROWD"**  
Don't Miss This Outstanding Story! It's Presented by Paramount  
**"The Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse"**  
EDWARD G. ROBINSON • CLAUDE TREVOR • HUMPHREY BOGART

**PLAZA**  
New Reel with Lurey Chalk  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**UNDER COVER OF NIGHT**  
LOWE RICE

**WHEN G-MEN STOP IN**  
JOHN TERRY  
JACQUELINE WELLS  
ROBERT PAGE  
12:15 1:45 3:15 4:45 6:15 7:45 9:15  
MONDAY... "SHOWBOAT"

**COLUMBIA**  
LAST TIMES TODAY  
**BOB BAKER**  
**"THE LAST STAND"**  
STUART ERWIN

**"ALL AMERICAN CHUMP"**  
Serial Except Saturday Nights  
"KID COAST GUARD"  
EXTRA CARTOON  
10c 12c 15c 20c 25c

**BETTER THAN NOTHING**  
Two shipwrecked sailors were on a desert island. They were cold, hungry, utterly miserable.  
"Say, Bill," said one of them, "can you pray?"  
"No," said the other.  
"Well, can you sing a 'ymn'?"  
"No."  
The first sailor thought hard for a moment or two.  
"Well," he said at length, "we'd better do something religious. Let's have a collection."

**SPORTING OFFER**  
The kindly old man was trying to stop two boys from fighting.  
"Will you stop fighting if I give you a cent each?" he asked.  
The boys looked doubtful. Then one spoke.  
"No, sir, but make it a shilling for the winner," he suggested.

**At the Theatres**

**STIRRING DRAMA AT THE CAPITOL**

"Submarine Patrol" Acclaimed as Great Motion Picture Star...  
ring Richard Greene

Hailed by film critics as one of the greatest pictures of the year, the picture "Submarine Patrol" which will open today at the Capitol Theatre, is the latest of the Movie Guild's 250,000 costumed pictures.

The stirring drama, based on the United States Navy's "Splinter Fleet" and the strangest crew of men ever to man a fighting ship, was directed by John Ford, and stars Richard Greene, Nancy Kelly, Preston Foster, George Bancroft, Slim Summerville, John Carradine, Joan Valerie, Henry Armetta, J. Farrell MacDonald, and Maxie Rosenbloom.

**PLAZA**  
Theatre  
Christopher Cross...  
The picture which will open today at the Plaza Theatre, is one of the new type musical Westerns, featuring Bob Baker in three new scenes of the range and presenting him in a number of hair-raising exploits.

**COLUMBIA**  
Theatre  
"The Last Stand"...  
The picture which will open today at the Columbia Theatre, is one of the new type musical Westerns, featuring Bob Baker in three new scenes of the range and presenting him in a number of hair-raising exploits.

**DOMINION**  
Theatre  
A moving and human picture of small-town America seldom before equaled on the screen, is given in the new Bob Burns film, "The Arkansas Traveler."

## CANDIDATES AT WARD MEETING

Councillors Austin and Passmore Address Saanich Ratepayers

Councillors George Austin and Leslie Passmore were the speakers at a meeting of the Ward Four Saanich ratepayers, which was held in the Sevenoaks Hall last evening. Councillor Passmore, who is also a member of the municipal school board, replying to several requests that he run for the 1939 board, said that he had definitely decided not to seek re-election as a trustee.

Both councillors spoke on the library service referendum, but disagreed as to the actual draft of the by-law. Councillor Austin said he saw no objection to the plebiscite in its present state, which is: "Are you in favor of a library service for Saanich at an estimated cost of 83 cents per property owner per annum, and not to exceed \$2 per property owner per annum?" A big deficit in general revenue would accrue at the end of the year, and the council would not exceed \$2, was inserted to protect all ratepayers, he stated. Councillor Passmore argued that the eight-five cent levy would more than cover the cost of the service and the meeting of the \$2 would deter many voters from casting their ballots in favor of the service.

**COLLECTION NOT SO HIGH**  
In connection with a report that Saanich would have an estimated collection close to 87 per cent, Councillor Austin said that up to the present date, the collection—percentage—was 84 per cent, and he doubted if it would reach 85 per cent by the end of the year. He also spoke of proposed work on the Colquhoun River to prevent flooding in wet weather.

Councillor Passmore gave a report on Strawberry Valley and McKenzie Avenue schools, which came under his jurisdiction on the municipal board. He said he favored the Government having control of the financial end of the schools in Saanich with the school board continuing to administer the affairs.

It was decided to hold the next meeting of the ratepayers on January 17. W. Lynn was in the chair.

## Obituary

**WIGHT**—There passed away yesterday Robert Marshall Wight, aged twenty-four years, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wight, 935 Cowichan Street, Oak Bay. He was a native son of Victoria, and is mourned by besides his parents, his brother, Frank C., at home. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

**BECKWITH**—There passed away suddenly in Seattle yesterday morning Mrs. Ellen Louise Beckwith, widow of William S. Beckwith, Mrs. Beckwith was born in New Brunswick and had been a resident of this city from 1886 to 1932, when she moved to Riverside, Calif. After visiting with members of the family in Victoria and Vancouver, she was returning to her home in Riverside when she was taken suddenly ill in Seattle on December 2. She is mourned by two sons, Louis M., of Sherwood, Ore., and Reginald M., of Sacramento, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. E. M. Brown, Riverside, Calif.; Mrs. J. E. Myers, Oaklands, Calif.; and Mrs. J. McNaughton, Vancouver. For many years Mrs. Beckwith was an active worker in First Baptist Church here. The remains will arrive in Victoria today, and will rest at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, and the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

**PERRY**—At the family residence 1320 Riddell Street, there passed away yesterday Mrs. Eliza Perry, aged eighty-three years. Born at Southam, Warwick, England, Mrs. Perry had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-six years. She is survived by two sons, Ernest, at home, and Kenneth, in England; one brother, Tom Aubrey; a daughter, Mrs. B. Hastings, a foster-son, William A. S. Gibbs; a granddaughter, Mrs. J. E. Myers, Oaklands, and several nieces and nephews, all in England. The remains are reposing at Sands Mortuary Chapel, where funeral services will be conducted on Monday at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. E. Hendy will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot at Colwood Burial Park.

**SHARPE**—The funeral services for Sergeant Major John William Sharpe will be held in Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. G. V. Bolster will officiate, and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

**GOLDSMITH**—A large congregation of sorrowing friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Isabel Goldsmith, held yesterday afternoon from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. A. McLeod conducting the services. The hymns "Jesu, Lover of My Soul" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee" were sung.

**ATLAS**—Frank Capra's production "You Can't Take It With You" starring Lionel Barrymore, which is now at the Dominion Theatre. For his portrayal of the colorful American figure, the fighting editor of the famous newspaper, Burns deserves to take his place alongside the greatest interpreters of native characters, including even the incomparable W. C. Fields.

**OAK BAY**—With a cast topped by Theatre First Flyn, Olivia de Havilland, Rosalind Russell and Patric Knowles, "Four's a Crowd" starring Bob Baker, which will close today at the Oak Bay Theatre. Walter Connolly, Hugh Herbert, Melville Cooper and Franklin Pangborn are also featured.

## Night Parade Will Mark End of Store Lighting Contest

THIS evening at 6:45 o'clock the street parade, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, will leave from the Crystal Garden and proceed through the downtown streets. Santa Claus will be accompanied by brass bands and clowns, and will distribute candies and favors to the children gathered along the route. The parade will also mark the conclusion of the store window decorative lighting contest. Officials of the chamber declared this, the first store competition, to have been highly successful. More than fifty merchants entered, and judging will be completed this evening, the winner to receive the handsome silver trophy. Route of the parade is Douglas Street to Fort Street; Fort to Government Street; along Government to Yates Street; to Blanshard Street; along Blanshard Street to Bay Street, where it will disband.

**Soul** and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" were sung. A profusion of beautiful floral tributes surrounded the casket. The following were the pallbearers: H. Wells, B. Armstrong, Captain E. Kelly, Guy Langston, Alex McDermott and J. E. Roberts. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

**ASHTON**—In the presence of relatives and many friends, funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann A. Ashton took place yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary Chapel. Pastor E. W. Robinson officiated. The church was crowded with many friends of the deceased woman, who had resided here for the past forty years. Pallbearers were Messrs. Alvan Paul, George Cathcart, A. T. Sanders, H. B. Currie, Edward Lawrenson and L. A. Hanna.

**BRYSON**—Funeral services for George Stewart Bryson will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in Sands Mortuary Chapel, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

**CHAMBERS**—Funeral service for Mrs. Myra Saunders Chambers will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. T. H. Laundry will officiate, and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

**BELL**—The funeral of John Alexander Bell took place yesterday afternoon from the Thompson Funeral Home, Robert C. J. were conducting the service in the presence of many friends. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes. Among them a beautiful wreath from the Alberta Government Telephone Co., and a representative of the deceased's Masonic Lodge No. 23, Colquhoun, Alta. was among those present. The remains were laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: T. Cashmore, B. C. Moore, R. H. Wilson, J. Haggar, W. Parry and J. C. F. Hyndman.

## FIRST AID CLASS RESULTS GIVEN

St. John Ambulance Association Announces Names of Those Passing Examination

The results of recent examinations held by St. John Ambulance Association, Victoria Centre, for women's first aid to the injured are announced. This class was conducted by Dr. Morgan Smith, assisted by practical instructors, E. J. Harwood and P. Gieve.

The surgeon examiner, Dr. L. W. Bassett, was particularly pleased with the general high marks obtained by the students of this class.

The following were awarded certificates: Mrs. J. E. L. Bennett, Mrs. M. J. Marjorie E. Brown, Mrs. Gwen S. Hethey, Miss Elizabeth L. Edwards, Mrs. Joan Kennedy, Miss Jean MacLennan, Miss M. Phyllis Gibson, Miss Janet L. Pritchard, Mrs. Calla Part, Miss Marianne M. Fraser, Miss Sophie Barber Sturkey, Mrs. Adele Bolly, Miss Gwen Scoby, Miss Molly Barber Sturkey, Miss Edith M. Edgell, Miss Valerie K. Kennedy Smith.

The next first aid to the injured class for women will be formed the second week in January, full particulars of which may be obtained from the secretary, G. 3436.

## FUEL COMMISSION REPORT COMPLETED

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at an economic delivered price, the report said at another point.

**COAL OPERATIONS**  
"A large market has been lost to Vancouver Island coal because of its high cost of production and distribution. Establishment of central coal distributing depots, or some modification of that principle, is the only effective way in which the present high distribution charges for coal can be reduced to a point where coal could compete effectively," the document said, differing with the declared capital structure of operating mines.

"We found no evidence of any practical scientific tests by anyone in the province which we could safely accept as weighing the merits of specific coals and fuel oils. This situation is in large part due to the lack of initiative of the coal companies themselves," Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald said at another point.

**GASOLINE PRICES**  
Full production costs of oil companies operating in British Columbia were not available to the commission from the British Columbia representatives of these companies, the report asserted. Gasoline could be sold at a fair profit at eighteen cents a gallon, if distribution were reorganized, and the multiplicity of service stations eliminated—it was reiterated.

With hundreds of pages of closely typed findings and data, the report will require some time to analyze, it was foreseen. No immediate comment was offered on its entry in the House.

## Final Tribute to Late Mrs. Neill

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 9. — The funeral of the late Mrs. Jeanne Neill, wife of A. W. Neill, M.P., was held yesterday afternoon from St. Andrew's United Church in Alberni. The church was crowded with many friends of the deceased woman, who had resided here for the past forty years. Pallbearers were Messrs. Alvan Paul, George Cathcart, A. T. Sanders, H. B. Currie, Edward Lawrenson and L. A. Hanna.

## A. R. C. MORTON NEW PRESIDENT

Greater Victoria Civic Employees' Association Elects Officers at Annual Meeting



A. R. C. MORTON

A. R. C. Morton was elected president of the Civic Employees' Federation of Greater Victoria at the annual meeting held in the City Hall last night, filling the chair vacated by A. H. Bishop, who had held office for three successive years.

J. Lussie was chosen vice-president, and Thomas Harris as secretary-treasurer.

Following the business meeting, an out-time dance was held in the Fire Hall, which Mayor Andrew McGavin, several aldermen, Fire Chief Alex Munro, and Police Chief J. A. McLellan were present.

During the evening, dance numbers were contributed by Betty Ann Craig, Ethel Gills, Kathleen Gregson, and Dan Plater, pupils of Miss Florence Clough's School of Dancing.

## EXPENSES KEPT WITHIN BUDGET

Financial Reports Approved By Citizens' Recreation Rooms Committee

Expenses of maintaining the Citizens' Recreation Rooms since the beginning of the year have been kept within the budget, according to reports presented at the quarterly meeting of the committee in charge of the rooms, held on Thursday night. H. H. Smith presided.

R. F. Taylor, treasurer, in his report, showed the total income from January to November 30 as \$2,200.56, expenditures over the eleven months being \$2,198.36, with a cash balance on hand of \$2.14.

Captain Walter Brown, chairman of the finance committee, said the budget for the year as approved by the Community Chest was \$2,400, of which \$2,200 had been drawn up to date. Captain Brown stated the balance would cover December expenses, and that operating expenses had been kept within the budget amount, and all accounts would be paid and clear at the end of the year. The committee went on record endorsing the system of financing the work of the rooms as set up by the Community Chest, which had eliminated a lot of worry and uncertainty for the finance committee.

A. H. Hundebly reported a recent check on attendance in the rooms showed 238 men using the rooms in one day. Very few calls for men for odd jobs were received in the last two months. The secretary will be glad to receive calls at E-9832 as an opportunity to make a few dollars would be especially welcome by the men at this season. A large consignment of reading material was recently forwarded to the forestry camps, including ninety-nine discarded library books and several hundred magazines.

## DALADIER SECURES CONFIDENCE VOTE

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forcing Socialists and Communists into the Opposition for the first time since the now-disbanded Leftist coalition of Radical-Socialists, Socialists and Communists emerged successful from the 1936 general election.

Blum, referring to the disorders, said simply: "Republicans have just seen a picture of the new majority."

He made an unsuccessful eleven-hour appeal for maintenance of the Popular Front majority. "Which," a Rightist shouted.

The interruption was characteristic of the reception accorded Blum throughout. He insisted he and his party had done everything they could to preserve solidarity with the Radical-Socialists but that Premier Daladier, Radical-Socialist leader, had repudiated the working agreement by infringements of the forty-hour week and other Popular Front legislation.

## ACCUSES COMMUNISTS

Daladier accused the Communists of seeking to lead the nation to war in which "one or two million peasants" would have died at the outset. He reaffirmed his policy of forcing labor into line in the interests of the nation and of continuing to co-operate in the apprehension of efforts of Prime Minister Chamberlain, "that grand old man who has devoted himself to peace."

Daladier said that when Mr. Chamberlain came to Paris on November 23, the Communists attempted "an insidious denunciation of the French position which was stifled by the magnificent reception tendered by the people of Paris."

He said he had copious proof that the general strike was a Communist manoeuvre designed to force the Government into collapse.

Daladier vigorously defended the French-German no-war declaration signed this week.

Even before Daladier asked for the vote of confidence his associates insisted that the Government would go to war rather than yield to Italy's unofficial claim for Tunisia and other French Mediterranean possessions.

The same sources added that Italy's military chances of attacking and seizing the North African protectorate, either from neighboring Italian Libya or from the sea, were "zero."

The Premier was represented as not expecting French-Italian hostility to reach any such climax immediately but, his collaborators said, he wanted to make his position clear before Italy made any formal claims with possible German support.

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## CRASHED IN FLAMES

NANCY, France, Dec. 9 (AP).—A French army bombing plane crashed in flames near the Nancy air base today, killing its five occupants. The cause was not determined.

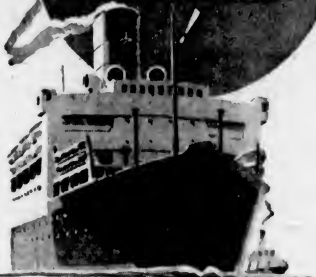
## Crashed Into Sea

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 9 (AP).—Two United States Navy single-engine land planes collided in mid-air about 10:30 a.m. today, crashing into the sea and killing both pilots, according to official reports.

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## ARRIVING IN FROM EUROPE

The Holland-America Line M.S. Delftyk Docking at Ogden Point This Morning

With passengers and cargo aboard, the Holland-America Line M.S. Delftyk, Captain Stamperius, is looked for at 7 o'clock this morning alongside Ogden Point Pier. After finishing discharge of local cargo and loading some parcels of freight for the homeward trip, the Delftyk will continue to Mainland ports.

**SAILING TODAY**  
Coming here this afternoon to embark travelers for Hawaiian Island and Orient destinations, the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of Japan, Captain L. D. Douglas, R.N.R., is scheduled to sail for Honolulu at 5:30 p.m. The ship should be alongside Rithet Pier at 4 p.m.

## NEWEST SERVICE

Late this month the Thor I will inaugurate a service between Pacific Coast ports and South Sea Islands. The service will be a dual one, according to Empire Shipping Company, British Columbia agents for Thor Line of Norway. Two vessels will operate at tri-monthly intervals. One of the ships will serve the southern group, including New Hebrides, New Caledonia, Fiji, Tonga, Niue, Fanning and Washington Islands, with possible calls at the Samoa and Society Islands. The other vessel will serve the northern group, embracing New Britain, New Ireland, New Guinea, the Solomons, Papua and the Gilberts, with possible inclusion of such northern Australian ports as Thursday Island, Port Darwin, Cairns, Townsville, Bowen, Mackay, Rockhampton, Gladstone and Maryborough.

Thor I is 310 feet long, of 1,400 tons dead-weight, and will maintain a sea speed of approximately eleven knots. She will be equipped with comfortable accommodation for twelve passengers, who will be afforded an opportunity to make the 100-day cruise of unusual ports of call while using the vessel as an hotel. The second level of this service will make her first sailing in February.

## CHARTER MARKET

Reviewing the trend of the Pacific Coast freight and charter market in November, the chartering department of the General Steamship Company, San Francisco, states the following:

A fair amount of activity was experienced in the Pacific Coast freight and charter market for the month of November, with a slight advance in freight rates on full cargo business. The exportation of American wheat and flour to North China is probably responsible for the advance in owners' ideas, which resulted in the slight upward trend of full cargo freight rates paid.

## SAILING VESSEL

Alan Villiers, Tasmanian author and journalist, who recently sold the sailing ship Joseph Conrad to the United States maritime commission, has ordered a sailing vessel to be built for him at Port Cygnet, Tasmania.

Designed by J. Murray Watts, Philadelphia, the ship will be brigantined and entirely of Tasmanian timber. More than seventy feet long, with a beam of twenty feet, the craft will be named Marion Eleanor and will be primarily for cruising in Australian waters. In addition to accommodation for the owner-captain and his guests, there will be half deck for six cabinets.

## YOUTH TO FACE SERIOUS CHARGE

George Cronk, eighteen years of age, appeared in Saanich police court Thursday afternoon on a charge of possessing stolen goods and was remanded by Magistrate Henry C. Hall until next Thursday.

Donald Stannell pleaded guilty to two charges of breaking and entering with intent to commit theft and was sentenced to fifteen months imprisonment, to run concurrently with previous sentences. A juvenile also pleaded guilty to a similar charge and was given a fifteen-month probation sentence, to run with a previous penalty.

In Esquimalt police court Thursday afternoon, Stannell entered a plea of guilty on two like charges and the young man to three. Each was given a concurrent sentence as above.

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## MAINE and TRANSPORTATION

### Inaugurating New Service



The M.S. Thor I, owned by A. S. Thor Dahl, Sanderfjord, Norway, will make the first sailing of the newly-established service between the Pacific Coast and South Sea Islands. She is due to arrive on this coast, December 26, and will sail south on or about December 29.

## MAIL AND SHIPS

## WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast, north, light, 30:33; 41: moderate swell.  
LENNARD—Cloudy, northwest, light, 30:12; 41: moderate swell.  
PACHENA—Overcast, calm, 30:11; 41: moderate swell.  
CARMANAN—Overcast, light, 30:29; 41: moderate swell.  
CAPE BEALE—Overcast, calm, 30:18; 41: light swell.

## WIRELESS REPORT

RELMOR—Curtain for Vancouver, 300 miles south of Estevan at 4 a.m.  
ROSEBANK—San Francisco to Victoria, 220 miles from Victoria, at 8 p.m.  
THEMION—Bound Vancouver, 500 miles from Victoria, at 10 p.m.  
BALACIA—Bound San Pedro and Vancouver, 1,000 miles south of Estevan at 8 p.m.

## WHEN MAILS CLOSE

**BRITISH ISLES**  
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**Christmas Decorative Store Window Contest, Sponsored by Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce**



**No TURNING**  
by Kathryn Bemis



CHAPTER XVIII

Adele called impulsively from the top of the steps. "Hi, there, cousin! No fair interviewing the latest fiancée in town! Shall I take him off your hands, Kay? Reggy, hold, home from his freshman year in Harvard, strolled with studied nonchalance down the steps behind her. The perturbed Kay stood and shook out her long flowing skirts. She said hastily, "I'd better be finding Henn—it's time we were leaving."

She laid a hand in Chuck's. "Good night—and best luck," she said bravely, and left him standing there immobile as a statue. Adele's laughter rang after her. When Kay was out of hearing she said lightly, "Kay always was a fast worker. Don't look like that, cousin—you still have me. However, I do think she's a good plan. A rotten joke on you."

"But she didn't plan it," he said resentfully. "Oh, la, la!" said out Adele, like a woman knowing far more than she chose to tell.

"You heard Webb Taylor's explanation," he said stiffly. "It was perfectly clear."

She would an arm around him and proceeded to walk him away. He shrugged, and sauntered with her and Reggy back to the crowd encircling the swimming pool.

Adele had, however, succeeded in planting the germ of a cruel suspicion in Chuck's mind. It was a germ of doubt that, given proper nourishment, could grow into towering strength. And Adele Sanders was an amazingly clever girl.

Early the following morning, the lanky figure of Webb Taylor stood on the rim of the Millstream pool, unobserved by Kay for at least two minutes. He was morosely watching Kay's graceful, expert swimming. At last, she came up from a dive, her hands brushing water from her eyes, and saw him contritely standing there.

"What an early riser you are!" she exclaimed sarcastically. A faint flush showed through the tan of his thin, elongated cheeks. He said, "Sinners must rise early—or be damned by the torture of their own regrets. I couldn't sleep after that party. I thought of getting disgustingly apologetic—then decided against it. I had to see you, Kay."

He thrust both hands into his blue flannel trousers, and began pacing the pool's rim. "She had swum up to him now. She snatched off her tight rose cap, shook out her bright curls, and came slowly up the ladder. She kicked her feet into rose sandals, her eyes dark with something near to loathing. From a bench, she snatched a yellow beach robe and folded it about her.

A pained expression crossed his face. He stopped his nervous pacing. "Damn it, Kay! I don't know how to excuse myself! Saying I'm sorry won't make it up to you—I can see that. But honestly, I thought if I could make him out a rotter, you'd forget him—maybe I'd have a chance."

Kay looked him scornfully up and

down. She said frigidly, "You forgot—I'm engaged to Hennington."

"Oh that!" He laughed shortly. "I'll have a barrel of money some day too."

"You're—you're insulting!" she said. "I shall never forgive you! It was a horrible trick! If Card had had any sense..."

"Yes—damn that—butler—he's a nuisance."

"How dare you be so callous about such actions? How you got that ring off my finger, I can't imagine!"

"I didn't. It wasn't premeditated. It was a little light that night at the hotel. Your ring dropped on the floor when you left the table. I picked it up and stuck it in my pocket. I intended to let you discover your loss, let you get a good scare, then return the ring to you. Afterward, I remembered how you think the joke on you."

"A fine specimen of manhood you turned out to be!" she flouted, walking away from him. He stared at her an instant, then leaped after her. He caught her around the waist, his head bending over hers. But before he could carry out his intentions, she slapped him vigorously across the cheek.

Startled, he loosened his hold, and she slipped from him like a flash, left him standing there, trying to collect his dazed wits.

(To Be Continued)

## COURTENAY FORMS NEW ASSOCIATION

Agricultural Group Established and Temporary Officers Elected At First Meeting

COURTENAY, Dec. 9.—A Junior agricultural association was formed here this afternoon at a meeting held in the Agricultural Hall and provincial officers were elected pending the first annual meeting early in the new year. Members of the senior group were present and it was decided to allow two representatives of the Junior society at meetings of the senior branch.

Named to office pro tem were: President, Roger Bullock; vice-president, Linton Machin; secretary-treasurer, R. G. Machin; directors, L. M. Oower, Gordon Annand, Herbert Hurford, Earl Woods, Ralph Harrison, Helen Alberry, Arthur An. and Archie Milligan.

J. H. MacIntyre, president of the Comox Agricultural and Industrial Association, was chosen honorary president.

**N.H.L. LEADERS**  
By the Canadian Press.  
Standing—Boston, won 7, lost 2, tied 3. Points, 15.  
Points—Gottselig, Chicago, 7 goals, 6 assists, 13 points. Anderson, Americans, 6 goals, 7 assists, 13 points.

Goals—Gottselig, Chicago, and Blake, Canadians, 7.  
Assists—Coveley, Boston, 9.  
Penalties—Levinson, Chicago, 22 minutes.  
Shutouts—Broda, Toronto, 3.

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## Little Change Made In Election Figures By Official Count

Mayor McGavin's Lead Increased by Twenty-Nine Votes to Total of 4,581—Rejected Ballots Are Analyzed by Scrutineers

MAYOR Andrew McGavin increased his 2,322-vote lead over Alderman James Adam by twenty-nine votes when the official civic election count was announced at 3:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon by M. Frank Hunter, returning officer. Results published yesterday were considered a preliminary count.

Mayor McGavin polled 4,581 votes. Alderman Adam secured 2,320, and John Dean 822 votes.

Official figures follow:  
**FOR MAYOR**  
Mayor Andrew McGavin ..... 4,581  
Alderman James Adam ..... 2,320  
John Dean ..... 822  
Mayor McGavin's majority ..... 2,351

**FOR ALDERMEN**  
(First Five Elected)  
Alderman Archie Willis ..... 4,581  
Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan ..... 4,581  
Alderman J. A. Worthington ..... 4,581  
Duncan D. McTavish ..... 4,581  
T. W. Hawkins ..... 4,581  
Alderman Alex Peden ..... 4,581  
Walter Luney ..... 4,581  
John Day ..... 4,581  
Charles Chivers ..... 4,581  
Mrs. Alice McGregor ..... 4,581

**THE REFERENDUMS**  
Erection of a Civic Auditorium and Sports Arena  
For ..... 5,941  
Against ..... 1,330

**Street Car Extension**  
For ..... 3,906  
Against ..... 2,676  
Scrutineers in charge of Mr. Hunter, E. E. Cody-Johnson and W. Percy Wright worked in the council chamber of the City Hall from 9 o'clock yesterday morning until 3:10 o'clock to recount and sort the 5,660 ballots cast.

**REJECTED BALLOTS**  
There were sixty-eight complete sets of ballots rejected. Of these, four sets were marked outside the blank spaces provided; fifty-four bore writing or other marks of identification; one was blank, and nine were sets composed of ballots rejected for miscellaneous reasons.

In addition to individual ballots rejected through being contained in complete sets, 134 were unmarked or voided for uncertainty on the street car referendum and thirteen marked outside the blank squares.

On the arena referendum, 327 were unmarked or voided for uncertainty and thirteen marked outside the blank squares.

For mayor fifty-six ballots were unmarked or voided for uncertainty and seven marked outside the blank squares. For aldermen, 156 ballots were unmarked or voided for uncertainty and four marked outside the blank squares.

Two ballots for the majority were voided through voting for too many candidates. Twenty-two were placed in the same category in the aldermanic contest.

**TO HONOR MR. BENNETT**  
TORONTO, Dec. 9 (CP).—The executive committee of the Ontario Conservative party was authorized by the party's convention here today to prepare a "suitable address" for presentation to Mr. B. B. Bennett, former national party leader, who will take up residence in England early in 1939.

**Announcements**  
One of the Greatest Handicaps to a woman in her business or social life is that most distressing of disfigurements—superficial hair—because it inevitably creates a feeling of inferiority; it detracts from her self-confidence, her poise; it is a cloud shadowing her whole life. Happily there is a cure—absolute and positive—endorsed by the medical profession all over the world. Call for booklet, Miss Hanman, 903 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C. Phone G 7642.

Mrs. Nellie McCling will give a lecture entitled "My Experiences in Europe," on December 13, at 8 p.m., in the Metropolitan Church. Proceeds for the missionary work of the United Church. Under the auspices of the Victoria Presbytery. Silver collection.

**Christmas Cards—Private Greeting Cards**, complete and distinctive. Complete selections to choose from our sample books at The Colonist Printing Department.

**Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, Dec. 13, 2:45 p.m.** Capt. Elmore Philpott, "The Alma. Ideas and Life of Hitler," Solist Mrs. Arthur Dowell.

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## City and District

No Licence—Convicted of a charge of failing to produce a driver's licence, a motorist was fined \$5 in the city police court.

**Is Fined—Represented by H. A. Beckwith,** a motorist pleaded guilty to a charge of driving in a manner dangerous to the public, and was fined \$15 in the city police court.

**Windows Broken—The Beaux-Arts Society** informed police yesterday that a number of windows had been broken in the old Duchesne Street fire hall, leased by the organization.

**New Dwelling—Morris Harwood** secured a \$3,050 city building permit yesterday for the erection of a six-room dwelling at 2662 Fernwood Road. It will have stucco walls and fir and oak floors. Parfitt Brothers, Ltd., are the contractors.

**Cost Stolen—Mrs. J. Fraser, 3012 Quadra Street,** reported to police that a thief who gained entry to her home by smashing glass in the front door stole a Hudson seal coat valued at \$250, and a silver hand mirror.

**Jewelry Taken—A thief** who entered the home of J. M. Utteridge at 181 Bechwood Avenue, through a bedroom window, stole two men's rings, a pendant, two brooches, a diamond pin and four unmounted opals.

**Fire Calls—A chimney fire** was extinguished by the fire department at 9:13 o'clock yesterday morning at 560 Flagg Street. Two false alarms were attended in the afternoon at 801 Government Street and 1145 Fort Street.

**Money Stolen—Police** reported a thief who entered the home of A. W. Perry, 1623 Belmont Avenue, early last night, stole \$2 from a purse on a table at the rear of the premises. Entry was made by the back door, police said.

**Robbery Attempt Fails**  
VANCOUVER, Dec. 9 (CP).—A two-fisted attack by seventeen-year-old Robert Ross, drugstore delivery boy, was too much for four youths who attempted to hold him up after luring him to a residential address with a false offer for goods. Ross was the third boy attacked in a similar manner here during the past few days.

**CONTAGION SPREADS**  
POULTRY COUPE, Dec. 9 (CP).—The number of persons attacked by scarlet fever in the Hanahaw district has risen to fifteen with death of a four-year-old child, it was reported today by the health officer. The school in the district has been closed two weeks.

**RUSSELL W. CARR DEAD**  
WINNIPEG, Dec. 9 (CP).—Russell W. Carr, forty-six, native of Owen Sound, Ont., former national president of the Native Sons of Canada, died here today.

**Room Entered—Alex Manson, 1809 Blanshard Street,** informed police yesterday that his room had been entered by a thief who tore off a padlock. A small grey trunk containing important papers and bedding, and a suit of clothes were stolen.

**Deer Seen—Mrs. Thornton Fell, 921 Poul Bay Road,** informed police at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, that a deer had been seen in her garden.

**Charged Again—When** he pleaded guilty to two charges of breaking and entering and one of theft, brought by the Provincial Police, Donald Stancil was given sentences of eighteen and three months, on the respective charges, to run concurrently with previous penalties. He appeared yesterday before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the Oak Bay police court. Two motorists were fined \$15 each for driving in a manner dangerous to the public.

**Appeal Dismissed—In a County Court** decision handed down yesterday by Judge H. H. Shandley, the appeal of Rex vs. the Island Pacific Oil Co. Ltd., was dismissed with costs fixed at \$50 and disbursements. The Crown appealed against dismissal by Magistrate Henry C. Hall of a charge against the oil company of erecting a gasoline pump on Courtney Street, contrary to provisions of the Fire-Marshal Act.

**Philatelic Meet—The Vancouver Island Philatelic Society** held its regular monthly meeting at the Empress Hotel on Thursday evening. J. N. Anderson displayed his prize-winning collection of the Coronation stamps of the Empire, and pointed out the various interesting features in connection with these issues. Each colony was beautifully illustrated by hand-drawn maps and diagrams, and the artistic arrangement proved perhaps even more attractive and interesting than the actual stamps themselves.

**At Smoking Concert—On Wednesday evening,** when the Band Vaudeville Troupe appeared at a smoking concert in the Army and Navy Veterans Club under the direction of William Hansen, assisted by Charles Jasper, chairman of the entertainment committee. Jerry Duckitt, and James Scarfe. The following artists took part: George March, Tim O'Connor, Tom Obee, Stanley James, J. Donaldson, Ray Hunt, Ron Smith, John Gow, George Gray, E. Bragg, Frank Merryfield, Joe Dobbie, Aubrey Jones and Cecil Boulton, accompanist.

**CARPET BOWLING**  
Results of games played recently follow:  
"A" Section  
Eagles "C" 12, Crystal Garden Burnsides 22.  
Crystal Garden Spades 13, Britannia United 18.  
A.O.P. Rangers 24, Britannia Tip Tops 30.  
Britannia Stars 22, S.O.E. Hood 14.

"B" Section  
Eagles "B" 18, Hudson's Bay "A" 21.  
Britannia Diamond "B" 20, Crystal Garden Ramblers 19.  
Eagles "B" 18, S.O.E. Lions 22.  
Britannia Royals 13, Britannia Horsehoes 22.

"C" Section  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "C" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"D" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
A.O.P. Rangers ..... 7 6 0 1 13  
C.O. Burnsides ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "D" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"E" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
Britannia Horsehoes ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Lions ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
Hudson's Bay "A" ..... 7 5 2 0 10  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
C.O. Ramblers ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Britannia D. "B" ..... 7 2 4 1 6  
S.O.E. Renown ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Eagles "E" ..... 7 1 8 0 2

"F" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "F" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"G" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "G" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"H" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "H" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"I" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
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Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"J" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "J" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"K" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "K" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"L" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "L" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

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**Orphans' Home Annual Meeting**  
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A manager's meeting will follow the annual meeting.  
ARTHUR LEE, President.  
REYNOLD HAYWARD, Secretary.

S.O.E. Renown 15, Hudson's Bay "A" 29.  
"C" Section  
Britannia Wolves 20, Eagles "A" 17.  
S.O.E. Victory 29, Crystal Garden Pirates 11.  
A.O.P. Cougars 18, S.O.E. Reptiles 20.  
Britannia Rustlers 20, Britannia Wolves 11.  
Eagles "A" 18, Crystal Garden Owls 21.

**THE STANDINGS**  
League standings for the first half of the season follow:  
"A" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
A.O.P. Rangers ..... 7 6 0 1 13  
C.O. Burnsides ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "C" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"B" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
Britannia Horsehoes ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Lions ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
Hudson's Bay "A" ..... 7 5 2 0 10  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
C.O. Ramblers ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Britannia D. "B" ..... 7 2 4 1 6  
S.O.E. Renown ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Eagles "B" ..... 7 1 8 0 2

"C" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "C" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"D" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "D" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"E" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "E" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"F" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "F" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"G" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
C.O. Spades ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Stars ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
Britannia Royals ..... 7 3 3 1 7  
S.O.E. Hood ..... 7 3 4 0 6  
Eagles "G" ..... 7 1 5 1 3  
Britannia Tip Tops ..... 7 0 7 0 0

"H" Section  
P.W.L.D.P.  
C.O. Pirates ..... 7 6 1 0 12  
S.O.E. Reptiles ..... 7 4 2 1 9  
S.O.E. Victory ..... 7 4 3 0 8  
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## PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Oriental Fantasy Seen  
At Rugby Union Cabaret

Spectacular floor numbers were enthusiastically received by the more than three hundred guests attending the Victoria Rugby Union cabaret held last night in the crystal ballroom of the Empress Hotel, under the direction of Mr. William Oliver. The cabaret was held in aid of the injured players of St. Joseph's Hospital Fund.

Lavish decorations and beautiful costumes, the clever work of Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, created an oriental atmosphere in the "Oriental Fantasy" in which the solo dance was taken by Miss Gloria Wilson. The scene was the interior of a harem, the gorgeous background of which was formed effectively with peacock feathers. Lounging on the divan with its covers of tiger skins, was Mr. Wilfred Demers, as the sultan, who sang "The Desert Song." The slaves were Miss Patsy Peden and Miss Erna Maynard, who wore green and gold silk costumes trimmed with sequins. They carried large peacock fans. Miss Wilson, in her harem dance, wore a beautiful white, net Nautch costume embroidered with sequins, and a magnificent glittering oriental head-dress.

Mrs. C. E. Wilson's Indian canoe dance, which was presented at the hotel some time ago, was repeated last night by popular request. Mrs. Wilson, as "Hiawatha," was an authentic Indian costume and received much applause for her solo "Indian Love Call" from "Rose Marie." She was assisted by a chorus of dancers, Misses Wynne Shaw, Geraldine Patterson, Josephine Wilson and Georgina Dowdall, attractive in white buckskin costumes. Also featured in the floor numbers was little June Day, who did a tap dance for which she wore a dainty black frock printed with white dots.

Mrs. Dorothy Wilson was responsible for the training of the dancers and directed the various groups in their dance numbers. The paddles used in the canoe dance were loaned by the Provincial Museum.

A ten-piece orchestra included several of the latest dance hits in the programme.

"Did that star football player graduate last year?"  
"No, he renewed his contract for another year."

## MAKE PRESENTATIONS

Mrs. Lary Lee, Mrs. Wah Lowe and Mrs. Wallace Lim entertained at the home of Mrs. Lim, 836 Fisgard Street, on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Mary Lee, a bride-to-be. Miss Lee received a bouquet of carnations and a silver tea service from the hostesses. The presentations were made by little Evan Lowe, who later pulled in a decorated wagon, which contained the shower gifts, hidden beneath the skirts of a doll. Tea was served from a table centred with bronze chrysanthemums and flanked by pale green tapers, and assisting the hostesses were Misses Mary Chow and Betty Lim. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Louie, Mr. and Mrs. Greenhalgh, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lim and Misses R. Lim, Violet Lim, Gore Lim, E. Chan, Ida Sam, Betty Lim, Mary Chow, Annie and Ruth Lee and Masters Victor and Evan Lowe and little June Sam. Winners of the game were Miss Rose Lim and Master Victor Lowe. Dancing was enjoyed.

Policeman (about to reprimand fair motorists)—Now, miss, I've had my eye on you for a long time. Lady Driver—How perfectly thrilling for you, and I thought you came over to me about some beauty driving offence.

## Diamond Wedding Couple



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT BENTHAM

Of "The First," Lampson Street, Esquimalt, who celebrated their diamond wedding on Friday, December 2. They were married in the coal-mining town of Leigh, Lancashire, England, in 1878 and came to Canada to make their home in 1921. Many friends called to congratulate them on their anniversary, and in the evening a social gathering was held in St. Paul's Parish Hall. During the serving of refreshments, the beautifully decorated four-tier cake, which was made and decorated by their eldest daughter, Mrs. W. Petrie, was cut by the bride of sixty years ago. A bouquet of white chrysanthemums and a purse were presented to Mrs. Bentham by Miss Bernice Bentham, Nanaimo, the youngest granddaughter. The eldest son, Mr. R. H. Bentham, Nanaimo, proposed the toast to the guests of honor. All their children and grandchildren living in Canada were present on the occasion of the celebration, these being Mr. and Mrs. W. Petrie, Esquimalt; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bentham and family, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. W. Bentham and family, Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Simpson, Winnipeg.

## Clubs and Societies

## Metochin W.A.

The annual general meeting of St. Mary's Branch of the Women's Auxiliary, Metochin, was held at the vicarage on Thursday afternoon. The following were elected to office for the ensuing year: Honorary president, Miss K. Gemmill; president, Mrs. F. A. Osborne; vice-president, Mrs. C. H. Helgesen; secretary, Mrs. H. E. Bell; treasurer, Mrs. Fergus Reid; extra-cent fund, Mrs. L. L. Field; educational secretary, Mrs. C. F. Weir; prayer partner, Mrs. R. Young; trained thank-offering secretary, Miss Bille; living message secretary, Mrs. Fergus Reid; social service, Mrs. F. A. Osborne; little helpers, Mrs. H. M. Bolton; junior department, Mrs. W. E. Bell; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. W. Witty; delegates to annual meeting, Mrs. C. H. Helgesen and Mrs. E. Bell; alternates, Mrs. Weir and Mrs. K. Chagwin; and auditor, Mrs. J. B. Edwards. Mrs. Bell gave a resume of the year's work, and reports of the various secretaries were submitted. Mrs. Bolton was tea hostess for the afternoon.

## Children's Aid W.A.

The W.A. to the Children's Aid Society met yesterday at the home of the president, Mrs. Donald McAdie, King George Terrace. Mrs. P. Daniels gave a report of the Christmas purchases for the children who are wards of the society. The sewing circle reported that ninety children would receive Christmas gifts. Plans were made for a concert to be held in the Memorial Hall on January 24, when the Russian Ballet School and the pupils of the Victoria School of Expression will take part. After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed, when Mrs. Daniels was presented with a gift from the members. Miss Lyna Mess, in making the presentation, paid a warm tribute to Mrs. Daniels' loyalty to and interest in the work of the organization both in the capacity of member of the board and as president of the W.A.

## South Saanich L.A.

The South Saanich Ladies Aid held its annual Christmas sale of work in the Sunday school room of the church on Wednesday afternoon, which proved successful. Brisk business was done at the needlework and home-cooking stalls, in charge of Mrs. Alex Patterson, Mrs. A. Hafer and Mrs. W. Hafer. Afternoon tea was served at small tables by Mrs. Dayley, Mrs. Gowdy, Mrs. Shaw and the Misses Dearing. In the evening Rev. John E. Bell, Victoria, gave an interesting address on the "Secret of Laughter." Rev. D. M. Preley presided and introduced the artists. Songs were sung by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Victoria, and Mr. Jones, Sidney, accompanied on the organ by Miss Lowe. Dr. W. W. Bryce played violin solos. Refreshments were served by the ladies.

## St. Paul's W.M.S.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church W.M.S. was held on Thursday afternoon in the hall. Mrs. Dickson, the president, was in the chair. Reports were read by the various officers. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Dickson, vice-pres-

dent, Mrs. Cotford; secretary, Mrs. Scott; treasurer, Mrs. Templeton; Home Helpers, Mrs. Humphries; Glad Tidings, Mrs. Borrowman; supply, Mrs. Ashton; library, Mrs. Thompson; literature, Mrs. James Sloan; Mission Band, Mrs. W. Sloan; Mrs. Anderson, welcome and welfare, Mrs. W. Sloan; pianist, Mrs. Jamieson; press, Mrs. S. W. Kendall.

## Cathedral Girls W.A.

The annual meeting of the Cathedral Girls' Auxiliary took place on Tuesday evening at the Memorial Hall, with a good attendance of members. The following girls were elected to office: President, Joan E. Pucher, vice-president, Irene Webb; secretary, Doris E. Lancaster; treasurer, Audrey Hickling; Dorcas secretary, Phyllis Godson; U.T.O. secretary, Edna Macleod; literature secretary, Betty Joannet; Dorothy Wiles was chairman of the social committee. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

## St. Alban's L.S.

St. Alban's Ladies' Society held its annual sale of work recently. The honorary president, Mrs. F. Comley,

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introduced Mrs. Spencer Elliott, who opened the affair, the president, Mrs. E. Swan, presenting her with a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. A large number of friends attended and the sum of \$90 was realized. The Ladies' Society will meet on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock in the hall, when election of officers will take place. A five hundred card party will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the hall.

## Bridge Party Held

Mrs. Goldwyn M. Terry, Burdett Avenue, was hostess at a bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home in honor of Miss Dallas, Homer Dixon, whose marriage to Mr. Keith Barr will take place on December 19. A handkerchief shower was arranged in connection with the party, the bride-to-be receiving many pretty gifts.

## Typographical W.A.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, No. 65, to Typographical Union 201 was held on Thursday. Reports on the different activities were presented. A special meeting will be held on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the S.O.E. Hall. The next card party will be held on January 19.

## Emmanuel L.A.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Emmanuel Baptist Church held its monthly meeting on Thursday. Mrs. Mark Parfitt presided. General business was conducted and Christmas committees appointed. Tea was served by Mrs. Parfitt and Mrs. Pinkerton.

## St. Mark's W.A.

The regular meeting of St. Mark's Women's Auxiliary will be held in the parish hall at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday. The annual card party, with turkey and chickens as prizes, will be held in the hall on Wednesday.

## Local Council of Women

The meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday at 2:30 p.m. The report of the semi-annual meeting of the Provincial Council will be given and tea will be served afterwards.

## Is Arranging Children's Tea



MISS MARGARET VANTREIGHT

Who is convening the annual Children's Tea to be held at the Empress Hotel on Saturday, December 17, under the auspices of the Junior Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital. Reservations must be made with the head waiter at the hotel and tickets may be purchased from members or at the hotel.

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## Colfax Lodge

Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, will hold its anniversary gathering in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. There will be roll call and the degree will be conferred. Visiting members will be welcome.

## Buffet Supper

Among the parties arranged last night prior to the Victoria Rugby Union Cabaret at the Empress Hotel, was a buffet supper held at the Naval Barracks by the officers of the Royal Canadian Navy.

## St. Luke's W.A.

St. Luke's W.A. will hold its annual meeting and election of officers next Thursday at 2:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

Money Voted  
For Hospital  
By Auxiliary

The gratifying sum of \$844.55 was realized by the Women's Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital from the recent bazaar, it was made known at the monthly meeting of the auxiliary held yesterday afternoon at the hospital with Mrs. Frank Sehl, the president, in the chair. Mrs. Sehl thanked the members for their cooperation in making the annual affair so successful.

It was decided to spend \$100 in refurnishing the hospital room donated some years ago by the auxiliary, and the sum of \$20 was voted for bookcases for the new library being conveyed by Miss Freeman. These will be placed in the hall of the hospital.

Mrs. Lewellyn Jones, sewing convener, reported completion of 192 articles and 1852 spouses. Miss Mess, of the Children's Aid Society, was present and spoke on the work of the society and its achievements. Good wishes for Christmas were exchanged between the president and members. The next meeting will be held on Friday, January 13.

Twelve Studios  
Represented in  
Pupils' Recital

The December recital of the Victoria Music Teachers took place last night at the Y.M.C.A. and proved very successful. Twelve music studios of the city were represented among the students taking part in the programme of violin solos and trios, piano solos and duets, and vocal solos. The chairman, Reginald Cox, president of the Music Teachers Association, announced that the January recital would take place the second Friday in the new year.

The following took part in the programme: Patricia Straughan, Jean Beckwith, Alice Downes, Marjorie Pearce, Dorothy Payle, John Butcher, Maureen Bray, Marylin Ivinge, Phyllis Webb, Cora Mayhew, Netta Hunter, Joy Collins, Phyllis Fox, Mrs. N. Thompson, Elizabeth Poole, Adria Bianchi, Bernard Hick, Gladys Baxter, Bobby Young, Marjorie Lee, and Patty Payle.

## I.O.O.F. Activities

Esquimalt Chapter  
The monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Chapter will be held at headquarters on Monday next at 7:30 p.m.

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## Weddings

**THOMAS—BEALES**  
A military wedding was celebrated at All Saints' Church, Alberni, on Thursday, December 1, when Miss Winona Constance Beales, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Campbell, 31 South Turner Street, Victoria, became the bride of Mr. William J. Thomas, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas, Alberni. Rev. G. Stevenson officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by Lieutenant G. T. London, in the absence of her step-father. She wore a white satin frock with a train, and lace insect yolk and a stand-up collar. Her embroidered net veil was held in place with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of pale pink roses, carnations and maidenhair fern. Mrs. Mary Dixon was matron of honor and wore pale blue tulle and a bandeau of pale pink roses on her head. Her bouquet was of pale pink carnations and chrysanthemums. Mr. Andrew Thomas supported his brother.

As the couple left the church, a guard of honor was formed by members of the 16th Canadian Battalion at Alberni. Mrs. H. Patterson played the wedding music and Mr. Patterson sang "O Perfect Love." A reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, and attending in receiving were the mothers of the bride and groom, and Mrs. J. Johnson, sister of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will make their home at Alberni. Early in January they expect to travel to Victoria to spend a short visit.

**COOKE—AMYES**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Amyes-Bills Government Street, announced the marriage on November 29 of their daughter, Nellie, to Mr. William (Mac) Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cooke, 3127 Millgrove Street.

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Col. the Rev. F. J. Miles, D.S.O., O.B.E., V.D., renowned preacher, author, missionary and world traveler, will be in Victoria on Sunday to open a series of meetings at the Christian and Missionary Alliance Gospel Tabernacle.

Col. Miles is at present touring Canada and the United States of America and has spoken at many of the largest Bible conferences on the continent, including America's Kenwick and the Moody Bible-Institute Founders' Week. He was president of the Christian Endeavor Union of Great Britain and Ireland and is now the international secretary of the Russian Missionary Society. During the Great War, Col. Miles was senior chaplain of the Australian forces, and was thrice decorated.

On Sunday, at 11 a.m., he will speak on "The Parable of the Eagle's Nest"; at 3 p.m., "Christ Is Coming"; and at 7:30 p.m., "The Greatest Person in the World."

His topics during the week at 8 p.m. will be selected from the following: "Russians Today," a photograph message; "The Miracle of Miracles," "Russian Races in the Religious Realm," "How God Makes the Wrath of Man to Praise Him in Prophecy," "Palestine and the Red Russian Menace," and "Is the World an Iceberg or a Ship?" On Friday at 8 p.m. there will be a youth rally, at which Col. Miles will deliver a special message on "The Appeal of Youth to Youth."

## First United Church

Quadrant Street and Balmoral Road  
Minister: Rev. H. A. McLeod, M.A., B.D.  
Assistant Minister: Rev. John E. Bell, B.A.  
SUNDAY SERVICES  
11 A.M.—REV. HUGH A. McLEOD  
7:30 P.M.—REV. JOHN E. BELL  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
9:45 A.M.—Intermediates and Seniors  
11 A.M.—Primaries and Juniors  
TUESDAY  
8 P.M.—Youth People's Society

## CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. Andrew D. Deid, D.D.  
11 A.M.—"Seeking to Save"  
7:30 P.M.—"The Prodigal's After-History"  
Soloist: Mrs. Cadogan Williams

## Oak Bay United Church

SUNDAY SERVICES, DECEMBER 12  
11 A.M.—Morning Worship—White Gifts Service, Church School, Will Meet with the Congregation  
7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship  
"THE JOY OF JESUS"  
Minister: Rev. P. R. O. Dorr, M.A.

## Fairfield United Church

Corner Moss Street and Fairfield Road  
Rev. Norman J. Creed, B.D., B.T.M.  
11 A.M.—"Invisible Chariots"  
To Children: "Dim Lights"  
7:30 P.M.—"The Price of Immortality"

## First Church of Christ, Scientist

Chambers St. and Pandora Ave.  
This Church is a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.  
SUNDAY SERVICES, 11 A.M., 7:30 P.M.  
Subject: "GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN"  
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 and 11 A.M.  
Testimonial Meetings, Wednesday 8 P.M.  
Reading-Room and Lending Library, 812 Hayward Building  
All Are Welcome

## Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral  
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Victoria West, Cor. Catherine and Tenth Streets (Cars 4 and 5)  
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"THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH"

## Former Unity Centre Man To Be Speaker

Rev. E. W. Ingraham, for many years associated with Unity Centre, Kansas City, will be the speaker at Victoria Truth Centre tomorrow morning. The subject will be "Man's Rightful Possessions." Mrs. Ridgway will sing "Just For Today" (Weaver).

## HAS LAST SERMON ON PRODIGAL SON

At Centennial United Church tomorrow at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. Andrew D. Deid will take for his subject, "Seeking to Save," and at 7:30 p.m. he will deliver the tenth and last of the series of sermons on the Fifteenth Chapter of St. Luke, "The Prodigal's After-History."

At the morning service the choir will sing the anthem, "Peace Be With You" (Roberts), with solo part by Frank Hollins; and in the evening the anthem, "Fierce Raged the Tempest" (Riley). A solo will be given by Mrs. W. Cadogan Williams.

## PRIMITIVE CHRISTIANITY

Madison Wright offers sermons setting forth primitive Christianity at meeting at the corner of Fernwood and Balmoral Roads.

## Metropolitan United Church

Cor. Pandora Ave. and Quadra Street  
Pastor: Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, B.A., B.D.  
11 A.M.—"The Stranger of Galilee"  
7:30 P.M.—"A Senseless Sacrifice"

## EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Gladstone Avenue at Fernwood  
Services—11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.  
Sunday School—9:45 A.M.  
Pastor: Rev. Dr. A. E. Imrie

## Victoria Truth Centre

730's Fort Street  
Rev. E. W. INGRAHAM, Speaker  
MRS. C. C. WARM, Musical Director  
Sunday, 11 A.M.—"Man's Rightful Possessions"  
Sunday, 11 A.M.—Sunday School  
Sunday, 7:30 P.M.—"As You Think"  
Tuesday, 8 P.M.—"THE DEVIL TAKE THE HINDMOST"  
Wednesday, 8 P.M.—"Spiritual Healing"  
Friday, 8 P.M.—"Three Fundamentals for Successful Living"

## St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Douglas Street at Ross Street  
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McLean, M.A.  
11 A.M.—Communion Service  
7:30 P.M.—"THE DEVIL TAKE THE HINDMOST"  
The Minister at Both Services  
WE WELCOME VISITORS

## Church of Our Lord Free Church of England

Cor. Humboldt and Bannard Streets  
Services Third Sunday in Advent  
11 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon  
Preacher: MR. T. M. FOSTER  
Archdeacon of the British-Israel World Federation  
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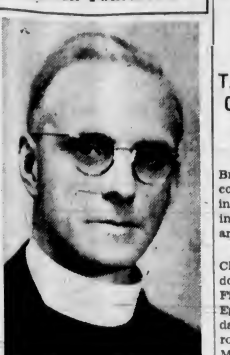
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## To Dedicate Up-Island Church Tomorrow



REV. H. H. WALLACE, M.A., B.D.

Pastor of Belmont Avenue United Church here, and chairman of the Presbytery of Victoria, will tomorrow dedicate a new house of worship at Lantzville in the Nanaimo Suburban field of the United Church, of which Rev. H. T. Allen is in charge. Aided by a small grant from the National Home Mission Board at Toronto, the edifice has been erected almost entirely by voluntary labor, at an estimated value of \$2,000.

## WILL CELEBRATE KING'S ACCESSION

The services at St. John's Church will be of a patriotic nature as Sunday is the accession anniversary of King George VI. The hymns and other features of the services will be appropriate for the occasion.

There will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m., Morning Prayer and sermon at 11, and Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p.m.

The pastor, Rev. Canon Chadwick, will be the preacher at the 11 o'clock service, and in the evening the sermon will be delivered by Rev. G. V. Bolster. The anthem will be "Hosanna in the Highest" (Stainer).

A mid-week celebration of the Holy Communion will take place on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

## DRAMA AT BELMONT CHURCH

A religious drama, "The Gift," will be presented by the young people of Belmont Avenue United Church at tomorrow evening's service. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Churchill will preach in the morning.

## "THE SECOND DEATH"

The Spiritual Mission of Alexis, 1042 Balmoral Road, will meet tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. The speaker will be Mr. J. W. Churchill. The subject will be "The Second Death." Following this, messages will be given by Mrs. McDermott.

## Church Services Not Listed Elsewhere

St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church—Rev. Arthur Bischoffberger, Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 10:30 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Matthias—Rev. Alan Gardiner, Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Junior Church, 9:35 a.m. Morning service, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Mark's, Cloverdale—Rev. O. L. Jull, Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m.  
St. Alban's—Rev. F. Comley, Children's service, 10 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a.m. preacher, Archdeacon Nunn, Evensong, 7 p.m. Rev. F. Comley.  
St. Columba, Strawberry Vale—Morning service with Holy Communion, Rev. Montague Bruce, Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. S. J. Wilkins.  
St. Michael's, Royal Oak—Rev. G. J. Wilkins, Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Rev. Canon Ryall, 8 and 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
St. Martin's-in-the-Fields—Rev. Canon Stocken, Matins with Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a.m.  
St. Matthew's, Langford—Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh, Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.  
St. John's, Colwood—Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh, Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m.  
St. Mary's, Melchior—Rev. H. M. Bolton, Morning Prayer, 11 a.m. Holy Trinity, Sooke—Rev. H. M. Bolton, Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.  
Cadboro Bay—Anglican Mission—Rev. Robert Connell, Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m.  
Wilkinson Road United—Rev. William Allan, Public worship, 11:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Garden City United—Rev. William Allan, Afternoon service, 3:15 p.m.  
St. Aidan's United—Rev. T. O. Griffiths, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Knox Presbyterian Church—Rev. J. Mackie Niven, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
Beylham Corps, Salvation Army—Adjutant Mrs. Weir and Captain Winnifred Fitch, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

## B-I. OFFICIAL COMING HERE

T. M. Foster, Australian Commissioner, Speaking in City Sunday to Tuesday

T. M. Foster, the newly-appointed British-Israel World Federation commissioner for Australia, will be in Victoria from December 11 to 13, inclusive, and meetings have been arranged as follows:

Sunday, 3 p.m., First Baptist Church, "Dictatorships, Armageddon and Britain"; Monday, 8 p.m., First Baptist Church, "Mussolini, Egypt and the Suez Canal"; Tuesday, 2:45 p.m., Y.W.C.A. (small club room), Mr. Foster will address the Minnie Eason Circle, which will hold its meeting at this time instead of on Thursday; Tuesday, 8 p.m., First Baptist Church, "The Second Coming of Christ."

Mr. Foster has had wonderful meetings on his tour throughout Canada and the United States of America. He is a very pleasing speaker, and it is expected that his visit here will be a very successful one. He will sail from Vancouver on December 21 to take up his duties "down under."

No meetings of the Middleton Guild, nor of the Marigold Branch, nor of the Victoria and District Association, on Tuesday.

## Victoria West Church Holds Anniversary

Anniversary services will be held tomorrow at Victoria West United Church. The pastor, Rev. C. D. Clarke, will preach at 11 a.m. The choir will render the anthem, "Great God of Nations," and Mrs. H. Youson will sing "The Lord's Prayer."

At 7:30 p.m. a special evening service will be held, at which Rev. H. A. McLeod, of First United Church, will preach. The choir will sing the anthem, "Make This Dwelling Place Thine Own." The solo, "The Lord Is My Light," will be sung by Mrs. Floyd.

On Monday at 6:30 p.m., the anniversary supper will be held in the church hall. An address, "The Problem of the Jew," will be given by Mr. Clarke.

## YOUNG PEOPLE IN CHARGE AT NIGHT

At the Emmanuel Baptist Church this Sunday morning, the pastor, Dr. Andrew S. Imrie, will preach on "Safety and Certainty in This Day of Uncertainty." The anthem will be "The Lord Is Loving" (Garrett).

A special service for young people will be held in the evening, with the Young People's Evangelistic Band in charge. George West will speak on "Zaccheus, 1938." The Young People's Quartet, composed of Misses Crystal Lorber, Vera Parfitt, Florence Rowley and Opal Abercrombie, will sing "Lead Kindly Light" (Dykes-Adams), and Miss Catherine Dennison will sing "I Will Dwell in the House of the Lord" (Eville). The choir will sing the anthem, "Grant Us Thy Peace" (Mendelssohn).

## Rev. Canon Smith At St. Barnabas

The services next Sunday, the third in Advent, will be as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; choral Eucharist and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m., all services being taken by Rev. Canon Smith.

## Stability To Be SERMON SUBJECT

"The Fivefold Standard for Stability: How a Young Christian Should Stand and Continue Success Guaranteed" is the subject of vital importance during these days of spiritual uncertainty, to be addressed to parents and young people on Sunday evening in the Central Baptist Church, when the pastor, Dr. J. B. Rowell, will preach.

At the morning service the pastor's message will be "Kept Moment by Moment." On Wednesday next at 8 p.m., Peter Voronoff, young Russian evangelist, recently returned from the U.S.S.R., will speak on "My Thirteen Years in Soviet Russia."

## Both Adjutants Speak

Mrs. Adjutant Watt will speak at the morning holiness meeting tomorrow at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, on "Holy Living." The Songster Brigade will be in charge of the afternoon meeting, under the direction of their leader, T. Wood. Adjutant Charles Watt will speak in the evening on "A Joyful Salvation."

## "God as the Preserver of Man": Topic

"God the Preserver of Man" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday. The golden text is: "Withhold not thou thy tender mercies from me, O Lord: let thy loving kindness and thy truth continually preserve me" (Psalms xl, 11).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And she went and did according to the saying of Elijah: and she, and he, and her house, did eat many days. And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord, which he spake by Elijah" (1 Kings xvii, 15, 16).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine Love always has met and always will meet every human need."

## TO DRAW THEM FROM GALILEE OFFERS COUNSEL TO YOUNG PEOPLE

Rev. A. E. Whitehouse Talks Twice—Evening Sermon "Senseless Sacrifice"

The services in Metropolitan United Church tomorrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse. The morning topic will be "The Stranger of Galilee." For the evening service the sermon theme will be "A Senseless Sacrifice."

The music for the day is as follows: Morning, anthem, "Great Is Jehovah the Lord" (Schubert), the solo part being taken by Miss Dorothy Parsons, quartette, "Come Unto Me" (Bacon), Misses Gwyn and Maurine Whitehouse, William Inglis and Austin Curtis. Evening, anthem, "The Radiant Morn" (Woodward); anthem, "Tarry With Me" (Baldwin), with the solo part by H. L. Harmsworth.

## "White Gifts" to Be Offered at Oak Bay Church

The annual "White Gifts" service will be held Sunday evening in the Oak Bay United Church, when the church school will join with the congregation at 11 o'clock for this occasion. The school orchestra will assist in the service.

In the evening the minister, Rev. F. R. G. Dredge, will conclude his series on the character of Jesus, speaking on "The Joy of Jesus." In the morning, Fred Wright will sing "O Leave Your Sheep" (Hazel Hurst), and the anthem will be "O Taste and See" (Eville). In the evening the choir will sing "Now the Day Is Over" (Marks), with Miss Mary Sinclair taking the solo parts, and Herbert R. Scarce will sing "Out of the Deep" (Marks).

## REV. F. COMLEY AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH

The services at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday will be celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon at 11 a.m.; the preacher will be Rev. F. Comley, of St. Alban's Church, Evensong and sermon by Rev. Canon Smith, Archdeacon of Victoria, at 7 p.m.

## Sunday School To Be Assisted By Jewish Rabbi

A Jewish rabbi has been added to the teaching staff of a training school for Sunday school teachers in Atlanta, Georgia. This unusual action followed a long history of friendly intercourse between the minister of the Peachtree Christian Church in that city, and Mr. David Marx, of the Hebrew Temple, and was taken with the full approval of the officials and congregation. Commenting on this, The Christian Century says: "There is every reason why they should do so. Christians and Jews both revere the Old Testament as source material for their religion."

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Church of St. George, 1011 Government Services Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 11 a.m. Solemn Benediction, 7:30 p.m. Other services as announced.

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Christadelphian, Orange Hall, Esplanade Street, Morning, 11 o'clock, 7:30 p.m. subject, "Salvation Only Through Christ." All welcome.

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Mission of Alexis, 1042 Balmoral Road, address: messages by Mrs. M. McDermott.

## THEOLOGY

Victoria Theological Society, Jones Building, Fort Street, "Psalms" meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m., subject, "Comment on the Gospels."

## FINAL WARNING TO BE OFFERED

Rev. S. R. Orr Will Answer Questions Carried Over From Last Sunday

"Final Warnings from Pyramid and Prophecy" is the subject of the lecture by Rev. S. R. Orr at the Crystal Garden Auditorium on Sunday evening.

Among the questions to be answered are: "What unprintable, press-censored methods were recently used by Hitler to stir up the violence of the German people against the Jews?" "Why may we expect to see Hitler move more violently against the Catholic Church in Germany?" "Is Sir Walter Raleigh's remedy of Free Trade a cure for the fundamental weakness of the economic structure?" "What does prophecy say about the rise and fall of false religious systems?"

The unanswered questions from last Sunday evening will be answered: "Will the present Pope be the last?" "Is the Babylon of Revelation the modern economic and trading system of Europe?"

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Community singing will begin at 7:15.

## HAS INCREASE OF FIFTY PER CENT

Roman Catholic Population in Missionary Countries Makes Progress in Ten Years

The total advance made during the past ten years in Roman Catholic population in the countries that are under the jurisdiction of the Sacred College of Propaganda at Rome has risen from 14,330,629 to 21,143,321, a little less than 50 per cent. This information appears in a recent issue of the Catholic journal Pides.

These figures refer to what might be termed the missionary areas and do not include the districts where the Catholic Church has been long established. In Asia, the total Catholic population in 1927 was 6,029,029, and in 1937 7,911,370. In Africa, it rose in the same period from 3,208,993 to 4,794,951, while in Oceania the advance was from 1,911,717 to 2,557,803. In North, South and Central America, the missionary population stood in 1927 at 2,415,203, and in 1937 at 2,855,511.

The greatest relative advance was in Africa, where the Catholic population more than doubled in ten years. The greatest increases are in the Belgian Congo, Ruanda-Urundi, Mandagala, Tansanyika, Uganda and Madagascar.

## "CEMENT OF UNIVERSE"

"Cement of the Universe" is the topic for presentation at the Wednesday evening meeting of the Victoria Theosophical Society. Discussion will deal with the existence and attributes of the power which binds the entire universe. Meetings are held every Wednesday at 8 p.m., in Room 204 Jones Building.

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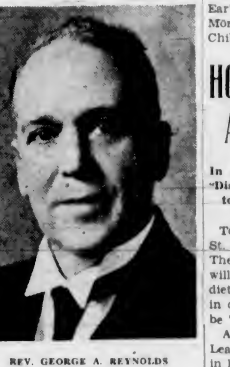
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## Dean Continues Sermon Series On Revelation

At Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. The Dean will continue his course of sermons on the Revelation of St. John the Divine at both the morning and evening services.

## BACK IN PULPIT AFTER SICKNESS

Rev. G. A. Reynolds Will Preach at First Baptist—Evening Speaker, T. M. Foster





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WHITE CELERY, each	9c	Buy Now at This Low Price and Save!	
MACINTOSH REDS, DELICIOUS AND YELLOW NEW-TOWN APPLES	5 lbs. 23c	Per sack (limit, 3 sacks)	\$1.49

### DELICATESSENS AND PROVISIONS

AYSHIRE ROLL OR HAM, per lb.	32c	JELLIED VEAL AND HAM, per lb.	20c
COTTAGE ROLLS, Smoked, per lb.	22c	MINCEMEAT, Seal of Quality, lb.	14c
SEAL OF QUALITY BACK BACON, lb.	38c	COOKED HAM, 1-lb. tin	27c
POTATO SALAD, Fresh and Tasty	2 lbs. 25c		

### CANDY SPECIALS

FAMILY MIXTURE of Creams, Chocolates and Jellies, lb.	23c
LOWNEY'S PLUMPTER ASSORTED CHOCOLATES, 7-lb. box, special	79c
GANONG'S CHOCOLATES, Christmas gift wrapped, 1-lb. box, regular 50c. Special	45c

### CHRISTMAS CRACKER SPECIAL

CALEY'S CHRISTMAS CRACKERS, 4 different fillings, Jewels, Indoor Fireworks, Musical Toys, Party Hats and Caps. Regular 40c. Special, box	33c
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### QUALITY SERVICE MEATS

SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR WEEK-END MENUS—8 TO 10 A.M. PHONE SPECIALS

PRIME RIB ROAST BEEF, per lb.	18c	RUMP ROASTS BEEF, per lb.	16c
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Loin Roast	28c	Hudsonia Pork Sausage, per lb.	22c	Wing Roasts	23c	Loin Veal	24c
Rump Roasts	24c	Fresh Sockeye Oysters, 1/2 pint	25c	Beef Fillers	28c	Chops, per lb.	20c
Veal, per lb.				Veal, per lb.		Eastern Finnan Haddies, per lb.	



### How It Started

WITHOUT RHYME OR REASON

Edmund Spencer, protesting plaintively against not receiving a promised pension, versified:

"I was promised on a time To have reason for my rhyme: From that time until this season, I received no rhyme nor reason."

The origin of this turn of language for expressing the doing of a thing without motive or logical purpose is in an interesting episode concerning a would-be literature and a facetious statesman.

An ambitious writer once took his manuscript to Sir Thomas More,

author famed for his "Utopia" and at the time Chancellor of Henry VIII.

"What do you think of it?" inquired the penman.

"Put it in rhyme," advised Sir Thomas.

Complying with this strange suggestion, the scribe again submitted his brain-child for criticism.

"Yes, marry, now it is somewhat," commented Sir Thomas, "for now it is rhyme: before it was neither rhyme nor reason."

**FARMERS' INSTITUTE CONSIDER NEEDS IN QUALICUM DISTRICT**

QUALICUM BEACH, Dec. 9.—A meeting of the Qualicum District Farmers' Institute was held on Monday evening in the Little Qualicum School, with a large atten-

dance and a number of visitors present. Discussion centred on conditions in the Little Qualicum district. It was reported that graveling had been started on the Boorman swamp road, and that the drainage ditch had been cleared and is running at one end. The proposed road to the beach was also discussed, and it was decided to invite a Government official to meet a committee and examine the situation.

The date of the annual meeting was set in the first week in January, and a membership committee was appointed to secure new members. During the discussion, the scope and work of the Farmers' Institute, covering agricultural, cooperative and social activities, were reviewed by the secretary, and many constructive suggestions were noted for future reference.

The following clans and tarts

are to be represented: Buchanan, Cameron, Campbell, Ferguson, Fraser, Farquharson, Gurn, Gordon, Graham, Kerr, Lennox, MacBeth, MacGregor, Macintosh, Mackay, MacFarland, MacLeod, Macpherson, MacMillan, Murray, Menzies, Roberts, Ross, Roy, Stewart, Shepherd, and Wallace.

The Queen Victoria Jubilee tartan will also be shown.

The famous Seann Triubhais (the old man's song) will be danced as it was danced when the

Highlandmen were forbidden to wear the tartan between 1746 and 1782. Other dances to be demonstrated will be the Hullechan, Lochaber Swords, Highland Fling, and the Highland Reel.

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## OBJECT TO STATEMENTS

### Oak Bay Council Refutes Mayor McGavin's Charges Of No Co-operation

Declaring that statements made by Mayor Andrew McGavin to the effect that he had received no co-operation from Oak Bay with regard to the questions of fire protection and water should not go unchallenged, Councillor William Ellis made a motion at the Municipal Council meeting Thursday evening that a letter be sent the Mayor of Victoria informing him that Oak Bay had always co-operated on these matters, and would continue to do so.

The councillor referred to a specific charge that Mayor McGavin had made at a public meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium last Monday evening. As a result of Councillor Ellis' objections, the clerk was instructed to convey the municipality's sentiments to the Mayor.

### FAVOR STREET CARS

A petition favoring the retention of street car transportation in the municipality was received from Mrs. A. Lewis, 2028 Chaucer Street, and bore 944 signatures. The petition read as follows: "We, the undersigned residents of Oak Bay, note with some anxiety, the contemplated change in our transportation system, and as we are anxious of retaining the present British Columbia Electric Railway street car system, we respectfully pray that our wishes be considered in any negotiations or contemplated change."

"We, the residents of the corporation of the district of Oak Bay support the above-mentioned petition, and have appended our names thereto, signifying our support."

### MATTER UP TO CITY

In commenting on the petition, Councillor Richard Angus stated the retention or removal of street cars was not in the hands of the Oak Bay Council, but was up to the city to decide. The communication was referred to the transportation committee.

In answer to a communication from M. P. Hunter, city clerk, asking the municipality to make a contribution towards the sum of \$7,500, which Victoria expended in connection with the surveying of electrical public utilities and the preparation of a passenger transportation franchise by-law, the municipality was informed by its solicitors that it had no such power to make donations. The city will be advised of this condition, it was decided.

### GARBAGE DISPOSAL

A report from the works superintendent suggesting that permission be given the residents of the district to deposit rubbish on Alameda Street, where the municipality could destroy it by burning, was adopted by the council. The report also suggested that a flat rate of \$1.50 be made for the removal of each load or part of a load from the gardens of householders. Persons wishing to avail themselves of this means of cleaning up their premises must first secure permission at the Municipal Hall.

The council received a report from the engineer's department, stating that since 1909 to November 30 of this year, 2,278 houses were constructed in Oak Bay. Since 1925, 1,158 dwellings have been built, with a total value of \$4,408,783.

### CLAN MEETING TO TAKE PLACE

Forty-Five Highland Tartans To Be Demonstrated and Explained Next Week

"Mac" in the Gaelic means "son of," and therefore means "son of Donald," and the capital letter of the Christian name is retained after the "Mac." But in "Mackay," meaning "son of the fire-brand," and in "Macpherson," meaning "son of the person," only the small letter is used after "Mac." Furthermore, a Highlander never abbreviates the "Mac" to "Mc" or "M."

These are some of the bits of information, valuable to a true Highlander, that will be given by one of the speakers at the St. Andrews and Caledonian Society's gathering of the clans, which is to take place on Thursday, December 15, at the Foresters' Hall, Corner Street.

TO HOLD PAGEANT

The whole programme is being designed to tell the history of the clans from 288 A.D. up to the present day. Song, story and dance will be used to tell the tale, the feature to be the presentation of forty-five tartans representing about thirty of the forty-five Scottish clans.

Tartans will be worn in traditional manner, by individuals and groups. As the speaker mentions their names, they will appear on the stage and will remain on view while the description is given.

The pageant will occupy about three-quarters of an hour, and will be preceded by a short talk on the origin of the different tartans.

In the majority of cases tartans of any particular clan will be worn by someone descended from that clan. As already noted, there are forty-five clans, and twenty-two of these begin with "Mac." Fortunately, Victoria has been able to supply abundance of these.

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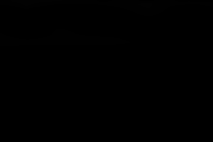
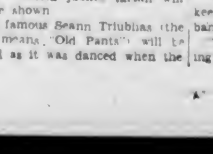
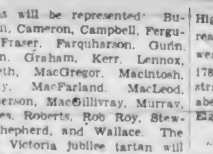
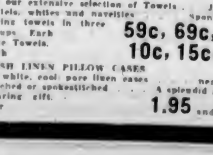
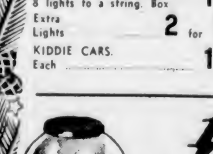
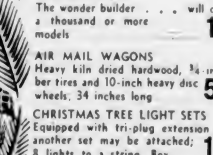
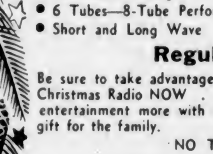
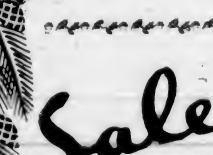
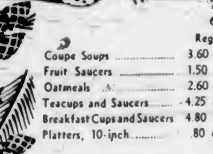
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Gravy Boat and Stand	1.35	Teapots	1.95
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## TOYS

To Gladden the Heart of Boys and Girls on-Christmas Morning

PICK-UP STICKS: The continental game of 4-5-6 Pick Up Sticks... Fun for young or old at Christmas and all through the year. 25c

TINKER TOYS: The wonder builder... will construct a thousand or more models. 1.00

AIR MAIL WAGONS: Heavy kiln dried hardwood, 1/2-in. rubber tires and 10-10-in. heavy disc wheels, 34 inches long. 5.49

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHT SETS: Equipped with tri-plug extension so that another set may be attached; 8 lights to a string. Box. 1.00

Extra Lights. 2 for 15c

KIDDIE CARS: Each. 1.95

POP-EYE SWEET STORES: The shelves of this store are laden with a variety of miniature packages of favorite things mother buys daily. 25c

"BABYKINS" DOLL: Composition body with sleeping eyes and real eyelashes. You'll find these hard to break, fully jointed. Ready to dress. 1.95

12 Inches high. Each. 1.25

ELECTRIC TRAINS: Consisting of steel locomotive, tender and streamline cars. Black and red. 13.95

AEROPLANES: Decorated in blue and red with fold-up wings. Winds up and runs. 50c

sparks as it runs. Each. 50c

Toyland, Third Floor at THE BAY

## ELECTRICAL GIFTS

"SILEX" COFFEE MAKERS: A-Cup size... Electric heating stove... finished in chrome... complete with cord and electric stove. 6.45

"Hotpoint" Combination: Handful Taster and Wafer from You'll like the smart, modern design. And heat indicator tells when toaster is ready to use. 12.90

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Electric Sandwich Toaster: A gift answer will welcome. Makes sandwiches... 2.19

Electric Toaster: Upright, dandy toaster with high-speed heating element... Complete with cord. 1.69

LINEN LINENOV SET: In pastel colors and a variety of delightful patterns. Green, red, blue, pink, black, white and 6 patterns. Gifts boxed. 2.95

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LINEN FINE WOOLLENS: For cozy dressing gowns or smoking jackets. New color and gifts. 1.69, 1.95, 2.50

ALL-NILE PINGER: We have only a limited quantity at this low price. No more. Spindled easily for making no more useful gifts. 14 inches wide. Yard. 19c

Yard Goods, Street Floor at THE BAY

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PECCARY HOG GLOVES Famous for their durability ... These are slightly imperfect, but nothing to mar appearance or wearing quality. Slip on style in natural shade. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Specially priced.

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LINED CAPEKIN GLOVES

For cold, winter weather and they'll make welcome Christmas gifts ... Perfect in every detail ... shown in black and brown. Sizes 6-7 1/2.

Specially priced. Pair 1.39

Gloves, Street Floor at THE BAY

### Specially Priced, First Quality

### CREPE HOSE

If you are giving hose this Christmas ... and of course you will ... be sure to take advantage of this special offer. Dull, clear high-twist crepe ... every pair perfect ... and a selection of delightful shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Buy several pairs for your own use, too ... enjoy this saving. Pair 79c

Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

### COME ON CHILDREN

## See SANTA in Toyland

Come and shake hands with this genial fellow ... whisper your Christmas secrets to him ... See, too, the toys he has collected ... to thrill every little boy and girl. Santa will be in Toyland all day today.

### And Don't Forget to Write Your Christmas Letter to Santa ...

Mail it to him in Santa's Special Mail Box in Toyland. Be sure to put your name and address on your letter, so that Santa can send a reply.

### Good Food Tastes Better in the Victorian Restaurant

SPECIAL MENU TODAY ...

Chilled Fresh Fruit Cup  
Fried Chicken - Tomato Sauce  
Cranberry and Orange Relish  
Buttered Corn Niblets  
Pasta Chips  
Dole and Pineapple Muffins  
Christmas Pudding - Brandy Sauce  
Fruit Cakes - Tea or Coffee

50c

Fourth Floor at THE BAY

## Men ... and Women Who Have Men on Their Gift List ... Here's a Real Bargain!

# Men's Reg. 5.00 SHOES

## 200 Pairs Specially Priced, Per Pair

### WHAT A SPLENDID GIFT FOR DAD OR BROTHER!

This is not a clearance line ... but all new stock ... just unpacked and marked specially low for today.

Included are black or brown Brogues with sturdy double soles ... light-weight Calfskin Shoes in black or London tan, with smart wing tips. Round-toe conservative models or soft black Kidskin Shoes ... All fashioned from quality leathers with English kid quarter lining ... good-weight leather insoles and "Goodyear" welted bend outsoles ... Sizes 6 to 11. Widths C to E.

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Of truly fine quality. Soft black or brown kid-skin uppers ... elastic gore sides and flexible leather soles. Sizes 6-11. Pair 2.49

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So soft and comfortable for leisure hours. Brown kidskin ... neatly lined with felt ... flexible leather soles. Sizes 6-11. Pair 1.95

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Easy on the feet ... neat in appearance ... will give excellent wear. Black or wine leather ... padded soles. Sizes 6-11. Pair 1.65

### ENGLISH WOOL SLIPPERS

Cosy and warm ... made in England from soft camel, brown or glad wool ... covered felt soles. Roll collar or tipper style. Sizes 6-11. Pair 1.79

### BOYS' SLIPPERS

Neat slippers with soft soles. A gift any boy will welcome. Black or brown leather. Sizes 1-5. Pair 95c

Men's Shoes, Street Floor at THE BAY

## Men ... Wear a New "Hudsonia" SUIT

### For the Festive Season

Fashion-wise, thrifty men will lose no time in choosing their Christmas suit from this splendid selection. Every new style color, pattern and fabric is represented, and no matter what type you are ... you are assured of correct fit and complete satisfaction with "Hudsonia" ... an exclusive Bay branded line. Sizes 34 to 46. Priced at only

Pay \$7.85 cash and the balance in 30 and 60 days.

# 23.50 SPECIAL ... 13 ONLY

## Men's Coats

Regular \$23.50 and \$27.50

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Well-tailored quality coats made from Winter weight imported Scotch and English fabrics ... in raglan or guard half belted styles ... these coats have been selected from regular stock, and would ordinarily sell at \$23.50 and \$27.50.

### MEN'S ENGLISH TOPCOATS

7 Only, Regular \$35.00 and \$39.50

Made by Joseph May & Sons, of England ... Scotch all wool tweeds in raglan style only. Genuine Scotch hand-tailored throughout. Sizes 36 to 42.

24.75

### STUDENTS' 2-TROUSER SUITS

Just arrived! Sizes 32 to 37. All-wool fancy tweed suits in Browns, Blue Greys and Fawns. Fancy pleated back coat and wide pleated front trousers. Excellent value at

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6 Only, Regular \$45.00

Manufactured by Joseph May & Sons, of England ... and exclusive in pattern and style. Genuine Scotch Glencheck cheviot tweeds. Raglan style.

29.75

### BOYS' TRENCH COATS

Sizes 10 to 14 only. Fawn, paramatta raincoats in heavy Winter quality ... imported Scotch and hand-tailored. Full belt and straps on cuffs.

3.29

## Gift Savings in NOTIONS and STATIONERY

### BOOKS

"GONE WITH THE WIND" Special limited edition ... Regular \$5.00 for youth ... "MY BIG BOOK" for Children 111 Pages of fun, frolic and entertainment. Regular \$1.25. Special at, each 79c

CHRISTMAS WEATHER 104 Only. Big 4-inch wreath, trimmed with silver bells and pine cones. Each 10c

CHINA ASH TRAYS Neatly patterned with gilt edge. Navy designs. Each 25c

ZIPPER TOP KNITTING RAGS With new style handle at top. Navy and shades in moiré, cording and tapestry cloth. Each 1.25

NOVELTY HAT STAND Complete with doll's head. Pastel colors. Each 39c

Handkerchiefs and finished in leatherette. Round and square shapes. Each 1.89

SPRING BASKETS Strong wicker type. Linen and padded. Regular \$2.50. Each 69c

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CELEBRITY CARDS 25 Only! Beautifully grained boxes containing 21 Envelopes and 21 Shells. Paper. Regular \$1.50. Each 99c

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PERSONAL CHRISTMAS CARDS 100 Beautiful cards in full colors ... French folds ... 50 for 1.79

WRAPPING DEAL Containing a vast assortment of gift wrapping requirements. Regular \$1.75

89c

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Many Christmas cards marked in store at this low price. All cards regular 30c each. Special 3 for 9c

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FANCY WRAPPING PAPER Decorated 5 sheets to a packet. 2 pkts. 27c

TAGS AND SEALS Jumbo package of 25 pieces. 27c

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### Stylecrest "Ties"

Exactly the kind of ties a man would buy for himself. Rich, luxurious materials ... imported and made up in Canada. You'll find it easy making selection from the wide variety of patterns and shades, and they're moderately priced at

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### ENGLISH GLOVES

Say "Merry Christmas" with gloves this year. Here are gloves that are noted for their style and durability. Slip-on and dome styles made from fine quality leathers. Pair 2.50

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You can be sure of pleasing if you give HIM "Stylecrest" Shirts. The utmost in quality and value for this price. Fused collar attached or two separate collars. And his favorite patterns and shades are all here.

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### MEN'S SOCKS

English and Canadian made quality socks which every man will appreciate. All wool and wool reinforced. In new patterns, heathers and plain shades. Sizes 10 to 12. Pair 75c

75c

Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

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If you give him a shirt of elite ... broadcloth ... made in Canada by a well-known maker from English broadcloth ... in patterns to suit every taste. All from 2.50 and lamp collars. Sizes 34-44. Pair 2.50

Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

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FORMAL BROUKE for 4 to 11 Years Christmas Frocks to turn your young daughter into the belle of any party. Embroidered Crepe. Dimpled Tulle. Silk and floral fabrics. 2.98 to 5.98

PARTY FROCKS for 12 to 14 Years These frocks will look simply adorable in these delightful creations. Embroidered crepe. Dimpled tulle. Silk and floral fabrics. 1.98 to 3.50

BOYS' WOOL SUITS All-wool jersey suits in a fine assortment of colors. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Priced 1.00

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SPECIAL-KNIT SUITS A knit at grown-up luxury! All-wool suits in two-piece style. Pleating effect in bodice. Sizes 10 to 14 years. 4 colors. In 2.98

Children's Wear, Fashion Floor

## Special Savings in

# WOMEN'S SLIPPERS

### Perfect for Gifts

DAINTY MULE SLIPPERS ... Regular \$2.98

Her feet will look so pretty in these slippers ... and they're so comfortable. Embroidered colors with marabou trim ... flexible leather soles. Sizes 3 1/2 to 8. There is a saving of \$1.00 on every pair. Pair 1.98

BOUDOIR SLIPPERS 60 Pairs Only! Save money on these popular slippers. Figured satin or leather with quilted insoles. Black, wine, green and blue. Sizes 4 to 8. 99c

Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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Beautifully styled, genuine leather bags in a wide variety of both top-handle and underarm types. Morocco, Davis call and quality suedes in smart colors. Many other gift bags priced from 82.98 to \$14.95

Handbags, Street Floor

### GIFT HANDKERCHIEFS

Sheer, delightfully designed handkerchiefs with speckle, applique and lace edge effects. All whites or whites with color. 3 for 1.00

Handkerchiefs, Street Floor

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### NOVELTY JEWELRY

When you see this assortment, you'll agree that we have a grand selection of the newest and smartest pieces. Rhinestone, metals 98c to 1.75

Gay and distinctive. Jewelry, Street Floor

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Gleaming satin covers ... plumply filled with kapok ... Various designs in Gold, Green, Rust, Rose, Blue, Burgundy ... Buy these as gifts ... or for your own home. Each 1.79

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New arrivals! Smarter designs ... distinctive 1.98 to 2.50

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Regular 25c and 30c per ounce. To clear at, or 15c oz.

### HAND-PAINTED HANDKERCHIEF CASES

Large 11 1/2 x 7 1/2 more silk cases in Peach, Pink, Green, Yellow, Blue, White ... with attractive hand-painted floral patterns and ribbon ties. Art Needlework, Street Floor

## What Today Means

### "SAGITTARIUS"

If December 10 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. from 3:45 to 5:45 p.m. and from 8:45 to 10:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m., from 6:45 to 8:45 p.m. and from 10:45 p.m. until midnight. Live in the present this day and

cast unpleasant memories into the discard. This should be a pleasant day for you and those near and dear to you, because it appears your happiness is due to be shared with many. Skepticism is apt to prevail, due to a lack of evidence for the senses to judge by. The eyes must see, the ears must hear, the fingers feel, the nostrils smell, the tongue taste. Anything about which there is the slightest doubt, before satisfaction can be obtained this day. Facts, not sur-

mises, must be used so as to get the right results. Think may play an important part in this day's affairs, and it looks as if you should have your full share of it. Married and engaged couples, and those who adorement is being offered at the shrine of love, must be careful that an air of indifference does not create the impression that they are lacking in appreciation. If a woman and December 10 is your birthday, your face must be very expressive. You are

probably very emotional and easily affected by what you read, see or hear. You love the unusual, and on occasions may enjoy being unconventional to a limited degree. Through the acquisition of money, you may be in a position to do much good. You may have to work hard and display a great deal of courage before Dame Fortune takes you under her wing and compensates you fully for your perseverance. Your big opportunity to make real headway in the world of affairs

may come through educational, literary, dramatic or some highly specialized line of work. Marriage ought to be your stepping-stone into a life of happiness and ease. The child born on December 10 may develop remarkable scholarly talents or skill in the field of sports. A circle of devoted friends is apt to have many opportunities to sing this youngster's praise in no uncertain terms. In time there should come a era of great prosperity for children born on this date.

If a man and December 10 is your natal day, sincerity of purpose, earnest efforts and loyalty are apt to lift you high in the social, professional or commercial scale. As a labor or political leader, doctor, lawyer, clergyman, actor, writer, banker or broker, you should meet with remarkable success. "What's your husband's business?" "Contractor." "What line?" "Debris."

## MAY COME BACK

MONTREAL, Dec. 9 (C)—William Gordon, Montreal secretary of the Mackenzie-Papineau division, declared yesterday there were more than 500 Canadian volunteers still in Spain. Approximately half of this number will return to Canada before the New Year, Gordon said, adding that among them will probably be Major Edward Cecil Smith of Toronto, who is in command of the battalion.

## RETIRED BANKER DIES

MONTREAL, Dec. 9 (C)—Alfred M. Peters, seventy-three, retired banker, died in hospital early today from injuries suffered last night when struck near his home by a motor car, which failed to stop. A native of St. John's, Nfld., Mr. Peters had been living in Montreal since his retirement ten years ago as district superintendent of Alberta for the Bank of Montreal.











# JOYCE THOMSON AND LANE WIN SHUTTLE CROWNS

## BRENTWOOD PLAYER WINNER FOR FOURTH SUCCESSIVE SEASON

Defeats Marjorie Hughes in Straight Sets in City Final at the Willows—Lane Scores Over Don Davis—Sluggert Sisters, Watt and Hinks Retain Their Championships

Miss Joyce Thomson, comely young Brentwood shuttler, is still queen of the city courts. She retained her women's singles crown last night at the Willows Badminton Club when she defeated Miss Marjorie Hughes, home club player, 11-1, 11-6. The victory was the fourth straight for the Brentwood star in the city tournament.

Hard-hitting George Lane, Victoria Club netter, whose best offensive is a powerful overhead smash, annexed the men's singles title when he turned back the championship bid of Don Davis, last year's finalist, in straight sets. The scores were 18-13, 15-5. Lane succeeds Jimmy Watt as champion.

Muriel and Phyllis Sluggert, Brentwood duo and women's doubles titleholders for the past two seasons, won their third straight crown when they defeated Miss Gladys McCall and Miss Marjorie Hughes, Willows pair, 15-4, 18-15. Another Brentwood combination, Drennan Hinks and Jimmy Watt, occupying the role of designated champions, retained their title after a hard three-set battle with Frank Tyrrell and Don Fish, Victoria Club netters.

**MIXED WINNERS**  
Miss Gladys McCall and Tony Staples, young Duncan shuttler now a member of the Willows club, were crowned mixed champions, replacing Miss Joyce Thomson and Drennan Hinks, who went to the sidelines in the semi-finals. The new titleholders won their laurels the hard way, being extended to three sets, two of the designated battles, by Miss Marjorie Hughes and Don Davis. The scores were 15-4, 14-17, 18-16.

Displaying championship form, Miss Joyce Thomson had little trouble disposing of Miss Marjorie Hughes in the women's singles final. The defending champion breezed through the initial set 11-1 and took the deciding set 11-6. Miss Hughes, who gained the semi-finals of the British Columbia championships last season, was often caught out of position and lacked the smooth, steady stroking of her opponent.

**LANE TRIUMPHS**  
Failing to display the form that featured his performance Thursday evening, husky Don Davis could not match the general court play of George Lane, the new champion. Davis made his best bid for victory in the opening set, where at one stage he led 13-8. Lane, scoring with his overhead smash, tied the score at 13-13, and then ran out at 18-13. In the second set, Davis' game literally collapsed and Lane had little difficulty winning by the one-sided score of 15-5.

The Sluggert sisters, Muriel and Phyllis, found some good opposition in their second game of the women's doubles final with Miss Gladys McCall and Miss Marjorie Hughes. The losers established an 11-7 lead and then the defending champions

ran the score to 13-11 in their favor. Miss McCall and Miss Hughes, by sheer determination and fight, came back and tied the count at 13-13, only to finally drop the set 18-15. The Brentwood duo took the initial set 11-4.

Rallying after dropping the opening game, 10-15, Drennan Hinks and Jimmy Watt defeated Frank Tyrrell and Don Fish in an interesting and exciting three-game final. Long rallies, smart play at the net and hard smashes delighted the crowd and many times gained well-merited applause. The final scores were 10-15, 15-7, 15-11. The same teams battled it out in the men's doubles final last season.

In one of the most keenly contested matches of the evening's play, Miss Gladys McCall and Tony Staples annexed the mixed doubles championship after a thrilling three-set battle against Miss Marjorie Hughes and Don Davis. The newly-crowned titleholders took the initial set with the one-sided score of 15-4, but the Hughes-Davis combination made a game bid for victory, taking the second set, 17-14. In the deciding set, another overtime affair, McCall and Staples eked out an 18-16 victory.

Results of the handicap finals follow:  
Mixed doubles—Miss M. Rice-Jones and B. Evans defeated Miss H. Peden and R. Hoadley, 15-8, 15-0.  
Women's doubles—Misses P. Sluggert and B. Atkins defeated Misses M. and N. Rice-Jones, 15-4, 15-9.  
Men's doubles—P. Colclough and E. Witter defeated P. Tyrrell and D. Fish, 15-10, 15-7.  
In a three-set boys' singles final, G. Ballantyne defeated R. Wilson, 10-15, 15-8, 18-15.

**PRESENT PRIZES**  
Mrs. A. E. Hodgkins, honorary vice-president of the Willows Badminton Club, sponsors of the annual tournament, presented the prizes. H. B. Witter, general president, introduced Mrs. Hodgkins after expressing thanks to the players for their co-operation, and various members for their untiring efforts in making the event an outstanding success.

### Local Basketball Teams to Travel

Coach Coley Chambers and his Palm Dairies hoopers will journey to Shawanigan Lake today to oppose the Chemainus seniors in an exhibition basketball game at the Shawanigan Lake Athletic Association Hall. In their last local start the dairymen turned back the Northwesterns, 27-23, and feel confident of taking the Up-Islanders into camp.

Manager Jack Taylor's Cardinals, women's quintette, will also make the trip and will play the Shawanigan Lake squad.

### Mrs. Jackson Has Fine Golf Score

Mrs. E. Jackson, former city and provincial golf champion, hit her stride yesterday at the Uplands golf course when she fired a neat round of 82 in the December medal competition, which, with her four handicap, gave her a net 78 and first prize in the "A" division. Mrs. V. Percival headed "B" class with a card of 85-23-72.

### SOCCER ON SUNDAY

Esquimalt and the Garrison football teams will play an exhibition football game at Bullen Park tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. The docters will have the following in uniform: Hornsby, Stewart, Joe Watt, Laird, Leggett, B. Stewart, Barnwell, Halkett, McBay, Bell, A. Stewart, John Watt, J. Stewart, Payne and Holt.

### How Victoria and North Shore Will Line Up for Today's Match

Here's how the teams, Victoria United and North Shore, will line up for this afternoon's Inter-City Football League match at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30 o'clock.

VICTORIA UNITED	GOAL	NORTH SHORE
Wally Rowe	Goal	Bob McInnes
George Leggett	Right Back	Bill Findler
Jack Cook	Left Back	Bob Harrison
Bruce Robinson	Right Half	Ronnie Hewitt
Roy Barnes	Centre Half	Trey Harvey
Glen Robbins	Left Half	Cecil Goodheart
Cordell Bell	Outside Right	Jimmy Love
Nip Sage	Inside Right	Suede Larson
"Scotty" Stewart	Centre	Malcolm McManus
Noel Morgan	Outside Left	Jimmy Spencer
George Payne	Spare	Alex Christie
Jack O'Neil	Spare	Jack Rabbit
Alex Ross	Spare	
Bobby Bell	Spare	
Chuck Restell	Spare	
Tommy Restell	Spare	

Referee: J. C. "Scotty" Dows.  
Victoria Linesman: Bill Huskins.

### Defeats Davis in Singles Final



GEORGE LANE

### Today's Sport Programme

FOOTBALL
2:30—Victoria United vs. North Shore United, Royal Athletic Park; referee, J. C. Dows.
Intermediate League
2:30—Cameron vs. Cooperage, Lower Beacon Hill; referee, Mathison.
2:30—Young Liberals vs. Navy, Admirals Road; referee, McMillan.
Merchants' League
2:30—Admirals vs. Mount Toimie, High School; referee, E. Bray.
Juvenile League—Under Sixteen
10:30—Esquimalt Meat Market vs. Maple Leaf, Bullen Park; referee, Obee.
10:30—Rovers vs. Hill's Corner, Upper Central Park; referee, Bray.
Under Fourteen
10:30—Pee-Wees vs. Oaklands United, Victoria West Park; referee, McColl.
10:30—Shamrocks vs. St. Louis College, Royal Athletic Park; referee, McDonald.
BASKETBALL (High School Gymnasium)
7:00—Commercials vs. Bombers, intermediate "B" boys.
7:45—Ramblers vs. Caves, intermediate "A" boys.
9:00—Victoria Dominions vs. Vancouver Munro Fur, senior "A" men.
Lake Hill Gymnasium
6:30—St. Louis College vs. Maple Leaf, Junior boys.
7:15—Star Dynamiters vs. Chinese Students, Junior boys.
8:00—St. Louis College vs. Chinese Students, Intermediate "B" boys.
8:45—Alcos vs. Midland Miners, intermediate "B" boys.

### SOUTH PARK IN BASKETBALL WIN

Coached by Joe Ross, who played guard for the Blue Ribbons when they captured the Canadian basketball championship at the Willows a few years ago, South Park School girls' intermediate class squad captured the schools' city championship yesterday by defeating Sir James Douglas in the final play-off by a 38-19 score. The teams finished in a deadlock for top position at the end of the playing schedule each losing a game.

Recently Ross' senior girls won the schools' city crown by finishing the season with an undefeated record.

### TANFORAN RACING

TANFORAN, Dec. 9—Results here today follow:  
**FIRST RACE—Six furlongs**  
Coniah (Warden) ..... 13.00 16.20 14.00  
Lovely Belle (Nevins) ..... 4.20 3.00  
Ned S. (Meyers) ..... 4.40 3.00  
Beltus (Eaton) ..... 4.40 3.00  
Time, 1:18. Also ran: Lottie D. Miss Bonner, Arlestone, Trudy Plo.  
**SECOND RACE—Six furlongs**  
American (Cox) ..... 13.00 14.00 13.00  
Prince Fox (Nevins) ..... 16.00 4.00 3.40  
Rich Daddy (London) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Time, 1:15. Also ran: Filiz Zar, Guit, El Granger, Proclivity, Jimmie Sweet, Will Do.  
**THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Close Prize (Gruba) ..... 14.00 12.00 11.00  
Lyle (L. Berman) ..... 12.00 11.00 10.00  
Time, 1:52. Also ran: Vale of Teano, Palmerman, Move Away, Victor, Tonya, Jack St. Thomas, Loretta J. Royal Rover, Baseline.  
**FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Close Prize (Gruba) ..... 12.00 11.00 10.00  
Dissent (Eaton) ..... 12.00 11.00 10.00  
Time, 1:53.5. Also ran: Rooster Billy, Blue Hawk, Rose Crystal, Quick Look, Ida S. Claude K. Alton, Post News, Caroon Cop.

**FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs**  
The Lake (Burns) ..... 13.00 16.00 13.00  
Drombo (Nevins) ..... 4.40 3.00  
Urocco (London) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Time, 1:15.25. Also ran: The Darb, Mead of Perth, Peter P., Wild Run, Mary Carmen.  
**SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs**  
Patience (Cox) ..... 13.00 14.00 12.00  
Prince Heather (Millman) ..... 3.00 3.00  
Proud Indian (Burns) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Time, 1:14.5. Also ran: Cloud Dore, Belle, Belle, Jane Bruce, Dolaway, Take Me.  
**SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Lyle (L. Berman) ..... 12.00 11.00 10.00  
Bel Play (Paton) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Time, 1:48.25. Also ran: Cross B, Hypnotic, Amnesia, Miss Bam.  
**EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Drombo (Nevins) ..... 12.00 11.00 10.00  
Brilliant Light (Brammer) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Berkshire (Chomicki) ..... 4.00 3.00  
Time, 1:48.35. Also ran: Khayram, Donald Duck, B. Hamburg, Recotina, Bachelor Bow, Pitter Pat.

### OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

**FIRST RACE—Mile and seven-eighths**  
Widow ..... 11.00  
Easter Parade ..... 11.00  
Supreme Court (London) ..... 11.00  
Bumpton ..... 11.00  
Mooney Brook ..... 11.00  
Raccoon ..... 11.00  
Hushy Andy ..... 11.00  
Endorced Way ..... 11.00  
Ready Today ..... 11.00  
Much Trouble ..... 11.00  
Adriodack ..... 11.00  
**SECOND RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Warrior ..... 11.00  
Kilabunny ..... 11.00  
The Cleaver ..... 11.00  
Our Havin' ..... 11.00  
Ravey Third ..... 11.00  
Red Lad ..... 11.00  
Green Jade ..... 11.00  
Endrick Cannon ..... 11.00  
Radical ..... 11.00  
**THIRD RACE—Mile and one-eighth**  
Don Granger ..... 11.00  
Paraph ..... 11.00  
Rabbit ..... 11.00  
Dollie Boy ..... 11.00  
Red Powder ..... 11.00  
Ezra Botland ..... 11.00  
Donna Bousie ..... 11.00  
Tomlin ..... 11.00  
**FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs**  
Mora, Victoria ..... 11.00  
Duke Lee ..... 11.00  
Bernhardt K ..... 11.00  
Brenda's Breeze ..... 11.00  
Kine Royale ..... 11.00  
D. Greenock ..... 11.00  
Lone Duck ..... 11.00  
Patriotic ..... 11.00  
Riviera ..... 11.00  
**FIFTH RACE—Mile and six furlongs**  
Al. Chance ..... 11.00  
Boris O. Dur ..... 11.00  
Transbird ..... 11.00  
Golden Nut ..... 11.00  
Warkaid ..... 11.00  
St. Maxum ..... 11.00  
Redora ..... 11.00  
Clemens ..... 11.00  
Peter Rider ..... 11.00  
**SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs**  
Ray Granada ..... 11.00  
Philly Dee ..... 11.00  
Cherokee (London) ..... 11.00  
Dillon Bay ..... 11.00  
Empress Hill ..... 11.00  
Bureau Creek ..... 11.00  
Foam ..... 11.00  
**SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs**  
Philly Dee ..... 11.00  
Beevi Nancy ..... 11.00  
C. Day Dancer ..... 11.00  
C. F. King ..... 11.00  
D. Mack and Wae ..... 11.00  
Ray-Jed ..... 11.00  
Buckeye Boy ..... 11.00  
Pitter Road ..... 11.00  
Red Hawk ..... 11.00  
A. Altona Lady ..... 11.00  
**EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth**  
Wile Turkey ..... 11.00  
Mount Vernon II ..... 11.00

### GOLDBERG JOINS PRO GRID CLUB

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Chicago Cardinals, last in the Western Division of the National Football League, today drafted four of the year's outstanding college stars, three of them from the University of Pittsburgh.

The draft, which gives the pro teams exclusive rights to negotiate with the players selected, gave to the Cardinals Marshall Goldberg, Pitt's All-American fullback; Kl. Aldrich, T.C.U.'s All-American centre, and Harold Stebbins, back, and Bill Daddo, end, also of Pitt.

Chicago Bears got Bill Osmanski, Holy Cross fullback, and Delaney, his tackle teammate; John Wysocki, brilliant Villanova end, and Sid Luckman, Columbia's versatile star.

Johnny Pingel, another All-American back, from Michigan State, went to Detroit Lions, and I. B. Hale, T.C.U. tackle, to the Washington Redskins.

### RUGBY WORKOUT

Victoria "Rep" rugger will hold a workout at Macdonald Park tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. Coach Wally Brynjolfsson requests a full attendance and wishes to remind all players that they must attend training sessions to hold their positions on the team.

### Rookie Member of Dominions Club



JOHN MYLREA

ROOKIE member of the 1938-39 Redition of the Victoria Dominions, who joined the squad at the start of the present season, jumped up from the intermediate "A" division. Mylrea was with the Canadian Scottish last season. He will see action tonight when the Dominions take the floor at the High School against Munro Fur, second-place team in the Vancouver Senior Basketball League. The first preliminary will get under way at 7:15, and the big attraction about 9:15. The Dominions will have their regular squad in uniform, which means that Chuck Chapman, Art Chapman, Hank Rowe, Bert Davies, Basher Jackson and Roy Taylor will be on deck along with Mylrea.

### Wins Women's Crown For Fourth Time



MISS JOYCE THOMSON

BRENTWOOD star and city women's singles champion, Miss Thomson won the honors for the fourth successive season last night at the Willows Club courts, when she defeated Miss Marjorie Hughes, home club player, in the final.

### ROSCOE TOLES FIGHT WINNER

Detroit Negro Punches Out Easy Victory Over Gunnar Barlund

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Roscoe Toles, three right-hand shots at Gunnar Barlund's head with the greatest of ease for ten solid rounds tonight to outpoint the Finnish heavyweight before a crowd of 471 in the Hippodrome. Toles weighed 196, and Barlund, 197.

Despite the one-sided victory, the rangy Detroit nurse, New York debut—was none too impressive. For Barlund, this second straight defeat eliminated him from the ranks of the up-and-coming heavyweights. He was bloody and cut almost from the first minute.

## Freddie Hutchinson Reported Bought by Pittsburgh Pirates

Seattle's Sensational Young Pitcher Said to Be Sold By Rainiers for \$50,000—Cubs and Giants Are Still After Services of Bonura

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9 (AP)—Baseball's winter "trade winds" shifted toward the eastern sector tonight after failing to kick up any big swapping waves during the annual Minor League meeting.

"We are very likely to make a deal next week that will send the first baseman, Buddy Hassett, somewhere," Larry MacPhail, executive vice-president of Brooklyn Dodgers said. "We have Dolph Camilli and certainly don't need two first sackers. The Giants and Cubs want him, but haven't offered what I expect."

Chicago Cubs and New York Giants still were sparring today for services of Zeke Bonura, heavy-hitting first baseman owned by Washington Senators. Waiver questions have blocked purchase of the player by the Giants, but Bonura said he believed the situation would be cleared by Monday.

A rumor circulated that Pittsburgh Pirates had purchased Freddie Hutchinson, ace right-handed pitcher, from Seattle, of the Pacific Coast League. William E. Bengtson, president-treasurer of the Pirates, refused to confirm or deny the report. Hutchinson was reported placed on the market for \$50,000.

Joe McCarthy, manager of New York Yankees, who have been reported dickered for Hutchinson, said: "Pittsburgh beat us to him."

The National and American Leagues go into their annual sessions at New York, next Tuesday and there the big league teams will resume their search for players.

Cincinnati Reds announced Dee Moore, catcher, had been optioned to Indianapolis, of the American Association. The Macon club of the South Atlantic League announced the sale of Mack Stewart, pitcher, to Brooklyn. It was expected Stewart would be sent to Montreal or Elmira, Brooklyn farm clubs.

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## Jane Dixon Says:

A GIRL WANTS TO KNOW WHAT TO DO ABOUT HER BOY FRIEND WHO HAS FAILED TO ACKNOWLEDGE HER LETTER OF APOLOGY

A sincere love is not easily offended. Love is founded on faith, and faith looks for the sunny side of life even when it must walk through the shadows to find a sunbeam.

Dear Miss Dixon: I'm in love with a nice young man in his late twenties. He did think a lot of me, I know, until recently when he seems to have been hurt or angered about something. I have no idea what this something could be.

I feel that if I can meet him face to face and talk it over, the misunderstanding can be ironed out. He thinks I want to forget him. I don't and I can't. I've written him a note of apology which he hasn't answered. I'm sure he still likes me; and this is not conceit on my part. Would it be proper for me to write him a letter telling how much I've missed him and encouraging him to call? If I have mistreated him in any way it has been unintentional because he is the last person in the world I would hurt. I don't want him to get the impression I'm running after him, but he means a lot to me, and it seems only fair to both of us that we should clear up this mystery.

He told me he loves me. I believe him. So what?—Bewildered.

Comment: Make it your business to meet the young man face to face and ask him whether you have done anything to offend him. Give him the question straight from the shoulder. If he is sincere and loves you, he will counter with a direct answer. If he has changed his mind and his heart about you, he will be evasive and try to placate you while looking for an exit.

No man "thinks" you are running after him unless you actually are running after him. Make it plain to this young man that you are not begging for his favor, but that you have a high regard for friendship and for love—so much regard that when the tie is cut you want it to be cut clean.

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## FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Dec. 9 (P)—British and foreign exchange closed easier today. Nominal rates for large amounts.

Australia, pound, 3.7596; Belgium, franc, 198.8; China, Hongkong dollar, 2941; France, franc, 0.29521; Great Britain, pound, 4.7087; Holland, florin, 5483; India, rupee, 33.757488 in the corresponding period of 1937.

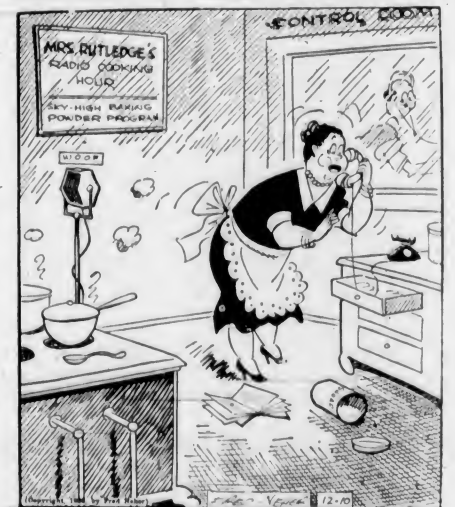
## RAILWAY REVENUE

MONTREAL, Dec. 9 (P)—Decrease of \$232,354 was shown today in Canadian National Railways' gross revenues of \$2,525,132, for week ended December 7, compared with \$3,757,488 in the corresponding period of 1937.

## TIME OUT! By Chet Smith



## LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher



"Could I borrow a cup of sugar, Mrs. Smalley, if I came right over for it?"



## SCALDED IN BATH

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (P)—Katharine Carl, noted portrait painter, died last night from a scalding she sustained while taking a bath yesterday. She was more than eighty years old. Miss Carl was well known in art circles in London, Paris, Washington and China. She was a native of Louisiana.

## RENO PRODUCTION

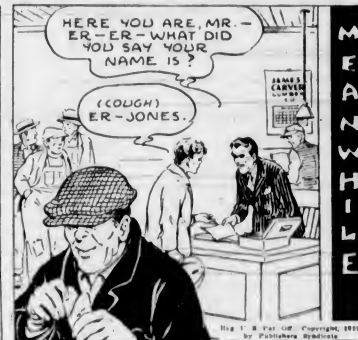
VANCOUVER, Dec. 9 (P)—November gold production from Reno Gold Mines Limited was \$55,062, compared with \$55,000 in October, the report of W. A. Sutton, secretary-treasurer, announced today.

## ROY POWERS, KING'S SCOUT

Reviewed and Approved by Dominion Headquarters, The Boy Scouts' Association.



## APPLE MARY

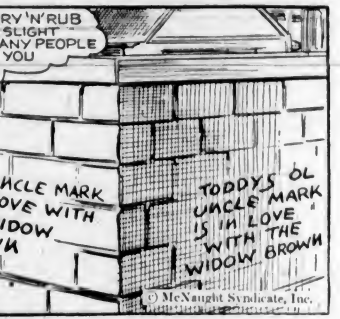


By Martha Orr

## TODDY

## Unfinished Business!

By George Marcoux



## BIG CHIEF WAHOO

By Saunders and Woggon



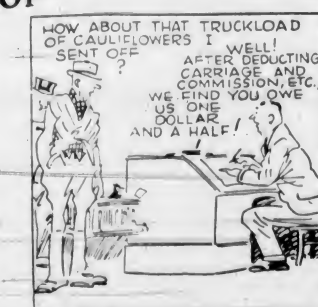
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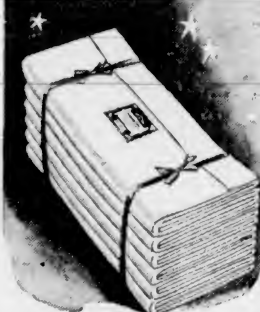
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Large Size in Walnut Finish, Ivory, Red,  
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Well finished, smart style Gowns of a  
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SHOES.. at **\$3.95**

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